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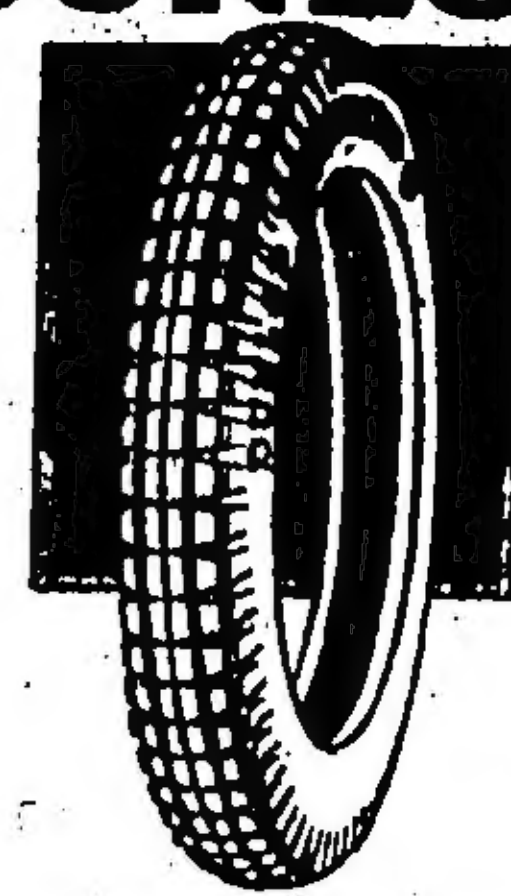
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"I AM NOT A SOLOMON!"

ZIMMERN UNDER FIRE IN TRIAL

TIGER TRIAD

SEVERE GRUELLING BY COUNSEL

Edward Zimmern had a severe grueling under cross-examination when the trial of Cheng Kwok-yau for procuring the murder of George Fung was resumed this morning.

On more than one occasion, he changed his answers to questions by Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., who used the terms "Swindle" and "swindling rogues" in reference to the activities of Zimmern and Christie. A Triad Society called the Tiger Triad was referred to by Zimmern.

"I am not a Solomon!" said Zimmern, when questioned about women in attendance at a dinner in Yaumatei.

A LEGAL POINT.

An unexpected legal argument cropped up at the resumption of the case.

On Friday, Zimmern, one of the principal Crown witnesses, gave evidence concerning a statement he made at Police Headquarters. The defence was given leave to peruse this statement and Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C. raised an important point concerning it.

"Before the cross-examination resumes," he said, "I would like a ruling from your lordship on a point of some importance. This witness has given detailed evidence with regard to certain conversations alleged to have taken place on March 21st in the Nathan Hotel, also a detailed account of alleged conversations on the way to the ferry; detailed accounts of further alleged conversations at the Princess Cafe on that morning.

LAW OF EVIDENCE.

"As your Lordship knows, it has been stated in evidence that this witness wrote a statement which he says was voluntary. You will also remember that as a result of a certain question, your Lordship directed that this statement be made available to us. I submit we are entitled to put to this witness that these incidents were never made part of his statement. I am entitled to do that without putting the statement in as part of my evidence. He may have a look at the statement from time to time to refresh his memory."

Mr. Potter quoted Archbold on evidence to support his contention. "I submit we can cross-examine this man without putting in this statement as part of our evidence. I would like a ruling now."

The Chief Justice:—Anything to say, Mr. Sheldon?

RIGHT OF REPLY.

Mr. Sheldon:—I have only this to say. How can your lordship give a ruling on a hypothetical argument? It seems we must have another long legal argument. If counsel for the defence puts in this document to refresh the witness's memory, then it becomes part of their evidence, and my friend loses his right of reply.

Mr. Potter replied that he had no intention of putting the statement to the witness in order to make him contradict it.

The Chief Justice ruled that the defence could hand the document to the witness in order to refresh his memory but they must not put it to him for the purpose of his contradicting it.

Mr. Potter:—That is all I ask.

ZIMMERN QUESTIONED.

Mr. Jenkin, resuming his cross-examination of Zimmern, took witness through the long series of conversations he had heard and taken part in relative to Fung's murder and prior to it. Witness agreed they were all substantially correct.

Mr. Jenkin:—Did you say before the magistrate that after your arrest you made one state-

SON FOR PRINCESS ILEANA

FORTY-EIGHT HOURS OF ANXIETY

Vienna, Aug. 15. After forty-eight hours of acute anxiety, during which the attentions of the most skilled surgeons in the city were sought, Princess Ileana, the sister of King Carol of Rumania, gave birth to a boy.

Both mother and son are now reported to be doing well. Princess Ileana married the Archduke Anton of Hapsburg in July, 1931.—*Reuter*.

IRISH VOLUNTEER ARMY

"POWERFUL STEADYING BODY OF OPINION"

EX-COLONEL IN THE LEAD

("Telegraph" Special).

Dublin, Aug. 14.

"All who feel the need for the existence of a powerful steady body of opinion in the country" are invited to enrol in the new Volunteer Division, which is being organised by the National Executive of the Army Comrades' Association.

The document announcing that recruiting to the new "volunteer army" is open is signed by T. F. O'Higgins, a former Colonel and Director of Army Medical Services.

"Colonel" T. F. O'Higgins is also a brother of the late Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, who was assassinated five years ago.

It is the general opinion that the new organisation is largely hostile to the de Valera Government, particularly in regard to its policy regarding the I.R.A. which was banned by the Government.

With the official Free State Army and the Irish Republican Army, it will make the third military organisation in Ireland.

AGRICULTURAL POLICY.

Meanwhile, with civil trouble apparently brewing, the Free State Executive Council is understood to be giving attention to plans giving effect to the Government's new policy of putting thousands of acres under the plough in order to make the country more self-supporting in cereals.—*Reuter*.

MENT AND ONE STATEMENT ONLY?

Witness:—Yes.

Was that true?—Yes.

Proceeding, witness said the statement was handed to Sergeant Fitches. He did not see the original statement again, but, under searching cross-examination he revealed that he had seen a copy.

OMISSION ALLEGED.

Mr. Jenkin:—The statement was a very long one and I put it to you that in that statement there is an absolute omission of the conversations you have so closely detailed as having taken place in the Nathan Hotel and elsewhere about getting rid of George Fung?

Witness:—That I cannot say. I have not seen my own statement.

AN INTERJECTION.

At this point Mr. Potter muttered "Nonsense" in a voice barely audible.

Mr. Sheldon was instantly on his feet objecting.

Mr. Potter:—I'm sorry, my Lord, but I am glad to see the modern school of thought so careful about what is said in Court.

The Chief Justice:—I think any

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GALE SCENES ON THE GULF COAST.—Violent storms are of frequent occurrence on the Gulf Coast of the United States and enormous damage results as the above pictures illustrate. Thirteen deaths occurred in yesterday's hurricane.

THIRTEEN KILLED: 100 INJURED

VIOLENT GALE IN GULF OF MEXICO

GALVESTON PANIC

New York, Aug. 14.

A terrific hurricane, accompanied by torrential rains, struck the Gulf Coast to-day, leaving death and devastation in its wake.

Only brief warning was given of the onslaught of the storm, the most violent for some time past, though the premonitory rumblings enabled numerous people, who sensed the coming of the unusual, to take shelter in cellars, etc. in time.

The State of Texas, on the extreme west of the Gulf took the full force of the hurricane and naturally enough the coast towns, Galveston and Houston suffered most severely.

THIRTEEN DEAD.

Reuter's correspondent at Houston states that thirteen people are known to have been killed and more than a hundred injured as a result of collapses in the height of the gale.

The wildest scenes were witnessed by the few daring persons who ventured into the streets of Galveston, right on the coast, when the furious winds were at their most, boisterous, huge tin sheets and small trees, hoardings, etc. flying through the air to the peril of anyone in the way when at last they found their way to earth.

LIGHT FAILS.

Galveston City, in the course of the night, was isolated and plunged into darkness. Hundreds of plate-glass windows were smashed and avenues of trees uprooted. Families spent the whole night huddled panic-stricken in places of safety.—*Reuter*.

LOCAL BREWED BEER

HOW DUTY WILL BE ASSESSED

At Thursday's meeting of the Legislative Council, the Colonial Treasurer will move the following resolution:

"In pursuance of the powers conferred by section 39 of the Liquor Ordinance, 1931, Ordinance No. 36 of 1931, as amended by the Liquors Amendment Ordinance, Ordinance No. 20 of 1932, the Legislative Council resolves that, notwithstanding anything contained in the Liquor Duties Resolution published by the Notification No. 354 in the Gazette of the 2nd June, 1932, the Liquor Duty to be paid on beer brewed or made in the Colony shall be assessed at 60 cents per gallon when the original gravity of the wort for such beer does not exceed 1055 degrees as measured by the 'Bates' standard saccharometer and at one additional cent per gallon for every degree in excess of an original gravity of 1055 degrees as measured."

The Council will also resume the debate on the motion "that in the opinion of this Council the time has come for the Colony to abandon the principle of the rider main system, substituting therefor the principle of compulsory mortgage to all house supplies to which the alternative shall be a free supply from street fountains."

Five boatpeople were charged before Comdr. Newell, at the Marine Court this morning, with mooring ashore in prohibited hours. Fines of \$10 or one week's imprisonment each were imposed.

SHIP "COLLISION SEQUEL

THE N. Y. K. LOSES ITS APPEAL

The appeal of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha against the judgment of Sir Joseph Kemp in favour of the China Navigation Company has been dismissed with costs.

The reserved decision of the Full Court of Appeal, which consisted of Sir Peter Grabin, Sir Joseph Kemp and Mr. Justice Wood, was delivered at noon to-day. The judgment of Sir Peter Grabin, who has returned to Shanghai, was read by Mr. Justice Wood.

Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., appeared for the China Navigation Co. (plaintiff-respondents) and Mr. H. G. Sheldon represented the Nippon Yusen Kaisha (defendant-appellants).

In both the original case and the appeal, the action and cross-action were taken together. The China Navigation Co. claimed \$40,000 damages and the Japanese Company replied with a counter-claim for \$40,554.

The action arose out of a collision between the Tooyooka Maru and the Kiangsu in Hongkong harbour during a fog.

The Royal Observatory reports that pressure is highest over the Pacific to the east of the Bonins; and a large area of low pressure extends northward to the N.E. of Okla. The tide all up. Low.

REDS THREATEN SHASI

GUNBOATS RUSHING TO SCENE

Hankow, Aug. 15.

A large body of Communists, driven from the Han River districts under the strong pressure of Chiang Kai-shek's troops, are attacking the Szechuanese troops garrisoning Shasi.

Fighting occurred about two miles from Shasi and a portion of the Szechuanese garrison was dispersed.

The situation is critical and gunboats are being rushed to Shasi from Hankow to assist the Nationalists.—*Reuter*.

FURTHER DROP IN SILVER

HONGKONG DOLLAR REACTS

With silver having declined both in London and New York, the Hongkong dollar dropped 1/8th this morning to 1s. 3 3/4d. At this figure, the local market is quietly steady.

Silver dropped 11/16th in London on Saturday, the fall being chiefly due to China selling. America also sold, and speculators bought at the decline, the market closing quietly steady.

In New York, silver dropped three-quarters to 28, the market being uncertain. Futures are easier.

WANCHAI CYCLE NUISANCE

YOUTH FINED THIS MORNING

Charging a young Chinese with recklessly driving a push-bicycle in Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Inspector McEllan told Mr. Schofield to-day that these cyclists were "all over the place" in Wanchai and were proving a great nuisance.

The young man in question was driving on the wrong side of the road, in consequence of which he came into collision with a motor-cycle. While the front wheel of his machine was buckled, he himself escaped injuries.

A fine of \$7 was inflicted.

SEVEN

THE GAMBLER'S THROW

There is a craze for number seven among gamblers at the casinos along the Riviera. They maintain that seven has replaced thirteen as a significant number pointing out that all France's great tragedies this year have occurred on the seventh of the month.

Thus:—
On January 7, M. Maginot, Minister of War, died;
On March 7, M. Briand died;
On May 7, President Doumer was assassinated;
On July 7, the submarine Pro-metheus was lost.
The tragedies have happened in

HOOVER PLANS TRADE REVIVAL

FIVE-DAY WEEK IN INDUSTRY

BIG CONFERENCE CALLED

Washington, Aug. 14.

A five-day week for workers of the United States is believed to form one of the principal features of a new industrial plan which President Hoover will shortly submit to business men.

It forms part of a big scheme which it is hoped will stimulate a revival of trade, which was launched to-day by President Hoover in summoning a National Conference of business and industrial leaders of the twelve Federal Reserve districts.

The Conference is scheduled to commence on August 25.

CREDIT FACILITIES.

The agenda will include discussion of a programme for a wide expansion of credit facilities, the repair and maintenance of railroads, and organisation for spreading the existing employment (presumably through industrial five-day weeks).

The new Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Chapin, declares that President Hoover's plan is bound to make an instant and definite appeal to business men.—*Reuter*.

CARDINALS DO PIRATES A SERVICE

Take Double-Header from Chicago Cubs

New York, Aug. 14.

The Cardinals did Pittsburgh a useful service to-day when they won a double header from Chicago and reduced the margin between the National League leaders to half a game. Boston drop into the second division, Cincinnati beating them twice.

Brooklyn and the Giants had another keen contest. This time a double-header was shared. Frederick hit a home run to give Brooklyn the first game. Terry and Ott smacked for the circuit for the Giants in the second game, and eight runs were scored. Pincich and Cuccinello replied with less effect for the Dodgers.

Ruth and Foxx hit home runs in the American League, where the Athletics were blanked by Boston. Chicago and Cleveland also had completely blank games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati	3	8	2
Boston	1	7	2
Cincinnati	9	12	1
Boston	3	12	0
New York	1	10	2
Brooklyn	2	11	0
New York	8	13	2
Brooklyn	4	7	1
St. Louis	2	5	1
Chicago	0	7	0
St. Louis	2	13	1
Chicago	1	6	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston	1	7	2
Philadelphia	6	6	1
Boston	2	4	0
Philadelphia	0	8	0
Chicago	0	5	0
St. Louis	5	11	0
Chicago	5	12	3
St. Louis	9	10	1
Cleveland	0	5	1
Detroit	3	9	0
Washington	4	15	1
New York	5	13	0

THE STANDINGS FOLLOW:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Chicago	60	60	545
Pittsburgh	50	51	541
Brooklyn	51	55	528
Philadelphia	50	57	500
Boston	58	58	500
St. Louis	55	57	491
New York	51	60	480
Cincinnati	50	60	431

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland	67	40	593
Washington	61	51	545
Detroit	58	51	532
St. Louis	53	60	474

M.C.C. TEAM FOR AUSTRALIA

LEYLAND, TATE AND VERITY INVITED

R. W. ROBINS DROPS OUT OF SIDE

London, Aug. 14.

The M.C.C. has announced that Leyland, Verity and Tate have been invited to join the team which is to tour Australia in the coming winter.

The M.C.C. also announces that R.W.V. Robins, the Middlesex amateur, has dropped out of the side and that the place thus left vacant will be filled later.

Fifteen players have now definitely been selected as follows:

D. R. Jardine, Captain (Surrey), K. S. Duleepsinhji (Sussex), F. R. Brown (Surrey), R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick), Nawab of Pataudi (Worcester), G. O. Allen (Middlesex), Sutcliffe (Yorkshire), Hammond (Gloucester), Larwood (Notts), Voce (Notts), Duckworth (Lancashire), Ames (Kent), Leyland (Yorkshire), Verity (Yorkshire), Tate (Sussex).

LEYLAND SURPRISE.

The inclusion of Leyland will occasion some surprise. He has done little of particular note in the current season (on July 15, he had scored 699 runs in 22 innings) and presumably has been given his place on the strength of his previous Australian experience. Verity has forced himself into the team by recent individual feats of brilliance, though expert opinion before his famous 10 for 10 was rather against him. Tate had to go.

Leyland's inclusion is still more surprising as the team really lacks a first-wicket partner for Sutcliffe, unless this place is being reserved by D. R. Jardine or R.E.S. Wyatt. Both players have, however, shown more liking for the position of fourth or fifth wicket down, and the sixteenth selection, yet to be made, may cover this deficiency.

STRONG CLAIMANTS.

The strongest claimants, in this event, would be Keeton (Notts), Percy Holmes (Yorkshire) and, possibly, Arnold (Hampshire).

The greatest difficulty which will face the team managers will be that of deciding who to leave out of the Test Matches.—*Reuter*.

HOUSE COOLIE'S FRAUD

LOCAL RESIDENTS' LOSSES

A house-coolie, temporarily employed as a substitute at the residence of Mr. Robert Gray at Quarry Bay, was charged to-day at the Central Police Court with obtaining goods, by false pretences, from the Fook Cheung Tai compradore shop at Shaukiwan. Inspector Stimson, prosecuting, said that, when sent out by the houseboy to the compradore's shop with a pass book, the defendant ordered other things on his account, apparently hoping that when the articles were entered on the book, Mr. Gray would not notice it. The articles he obtained, on this false pretence, included a bottle of French vermouth and three tins of polish. The vermouth he drank, while the polish was sold to another shop. Sentence of six weeks' hard labour was inflicted.

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By W. E. McKenney

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(a) To deny support for the bid suit.

(b) To keep the bidding open and try to get into a declaration that will fit the 26 cards for part score, game or slam.

All Take-outs are constructive.

Minimum Take-Outs: With no intervening bid and lacking neutral trump support it is permissible to:

(1) Take-out with a four-card biddable suit, if the hand contains at least two high card tricks.

(2) Take-out with a five-card biddable suit, if the hand contains at least one and one-half high card tricks.

(3) Take-out with any suit of six or more cards, if the hand contains one high card trick.

Take-out an original bid of one no trump by bidding two of a suit with:

(a) A five-card major, if the hand contains one and one-half high card tricks or a combined count in the two hands of 22.

(b) Any six-card major suit.

(c) A five-card minor when the strength is wholly in the suit, the hand containing one and one-half high card tricks, or if the combined count of the two hands is 22 or 23.

(d) Take-out with any seven card minor suit.

A Strength-Showing Take-Out (non-forcing): is made by a Jump Take-out in no trump, this being purely strength-showing, as no trump is ever used as a Game-Demand Bid.

If there has been an intervening Take-Out (with or without an intervening bid):

(1) There must be a biddable suit.

(2) The hand must contain a minimum of three and one-half high card tricks. This Take-out is of such importance that it will be explained in a separate article devoted entirely to this bid and the subsequent responses.

Assuming no intervening bid and lacking adequate (or neutral) support for a major suit bid and no suit to show, Take-out in no trump—with good no trump distribution as follows:

(1) With two unbid suits stopped and a count of 7, bid one no trump.

(2) With two unbid suits stopped and a count of 13, or with three stopped and a count of 11, bid two no trump.

(3) With two suits stopped and a count of 17, or with three stopped and a count of 15, bid three no trump.

If there has been an intervening adverse bid, the no trump Take-out should show at least two stoppers in the adverse suit. If there is only one stopper in the adverse suit there should be either:

(a) Additional strength in two or more suits, or

(b) There should be a solid minor suit of at least five cards, and, under these provisions, the Take-out may be either two or three no trump, depending on the count in the hand.

To assist an original bid of two, the same length or strength in the suit is needed as when assisting a suit bid of one, but the total probable tricks required are less because the opening bid of two announces the declarer with more probable tricks than an opening bid of one, hence: Give one raise with two (2) probable tricks or one and one-half (1½) high card tricks. One additional probable trick beyond two is required for each raise in the suit finally agreed on.

When partner has made an opening bid of two no trump, which announces a count of 17 to 20, raise to three with:

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(a) An ace and any other count, or

(b) A king and queen (in same or different suits), or

(c) Any count of six.

When an opening suit bid of two has been made, if an assist cannot be given or is not desirable, then a take-out should be made if the value of the hand justifies it.

1. Pass with less than two (2) probable tricks (one and one-half if all high card tricks).

2. Bid two no trump lacking an assist or a biddable suit with a

count of six.

3. Make a take-out in a suit, the hand containing a biddable suit, and one and one-half (1½) high card tricks. This should not be done, however, if you can adequately support a major suit bid.

4. Bid three no trump with protection in the other three suits and a count of nine; or with protection in two suits and a count of eleven.

Bid three of a suit over partner's two no trump with any six-card suit. Lacking a six-card suit, or a fair five-card major, but holding a

no trump count of six, assist the no trump bid rather than take out with a weak five-card major or a five-card minor suit.

As a bid of three, the Game-Demand Bid, shows a powerful hand, very little assistance is required by partner. Therefore, one raise may be given if holding any of the following combinations:

- Four small cards in the bid suit.
- Any ace.
- Any king-queen, or
- Two kings.

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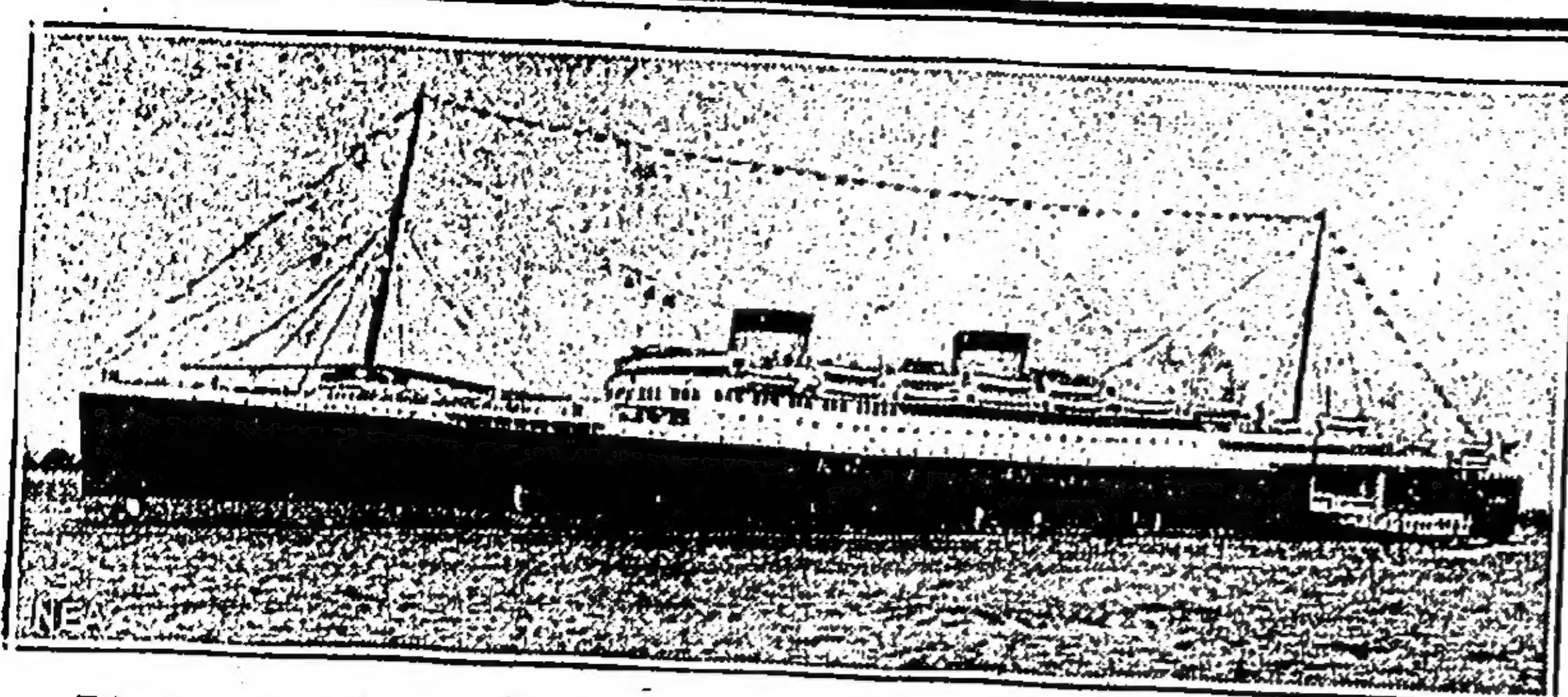
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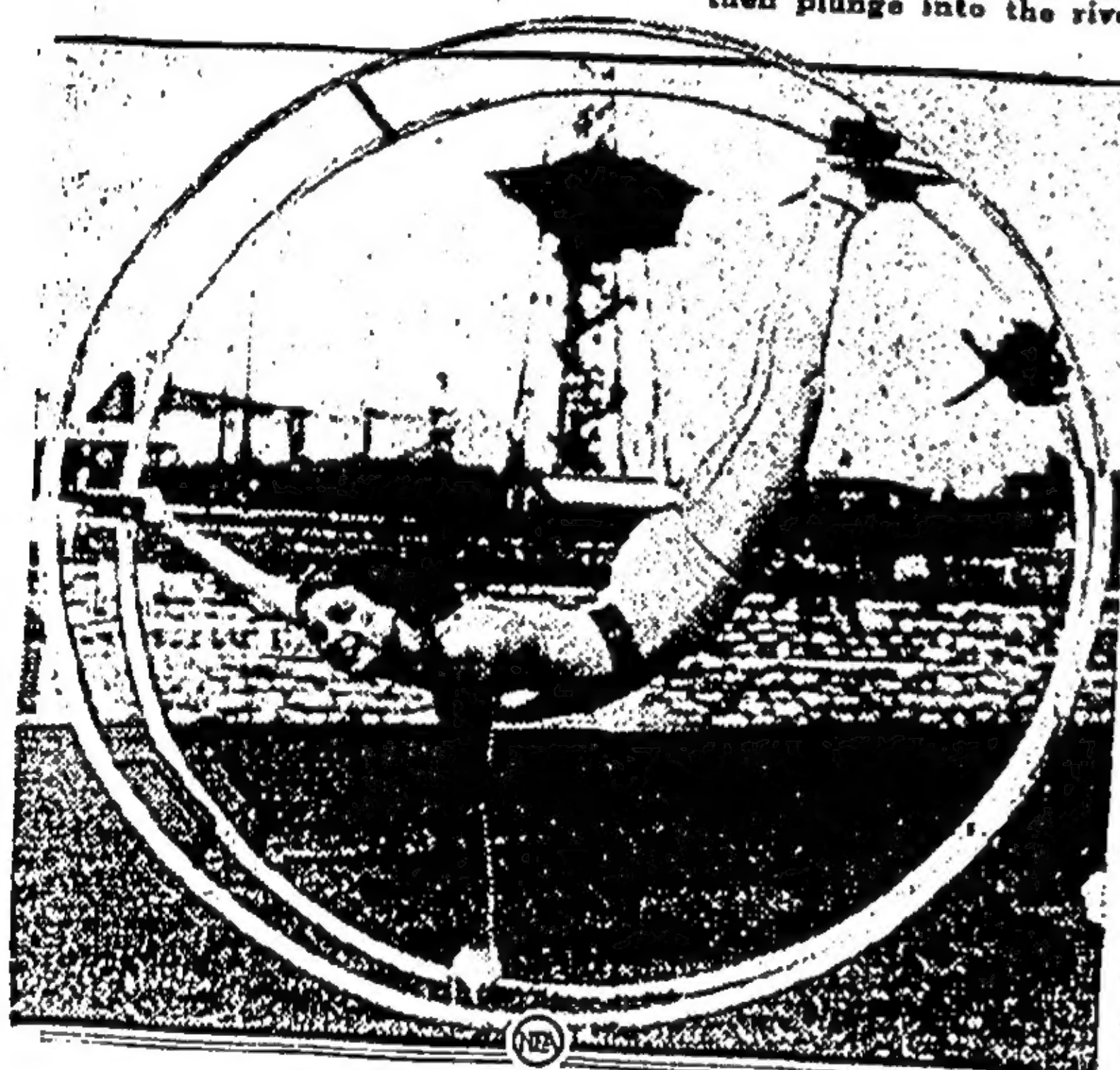




Trim new-comer to the trans-Atlantic sea lanes, the White Star Line's 27,000-ton passenger ship Georgic is pictured at the end of her maiden voyage. She's Britain's largest cabin liner, with accommodations for 1635 passengers.



Back to nature—and to the camera—these Russian farm women take a mud-bath on shore and then plunge into the river.



An all-round athlete is this lithe fraulein of Berlin—and head over heels in the fad of aero-wheeling, newly-introduced sport in Germany. Anchor your feet, grab the handles, shift your weight to set the wheel in motion, and you're going places and seeing things from a brand new perspective.



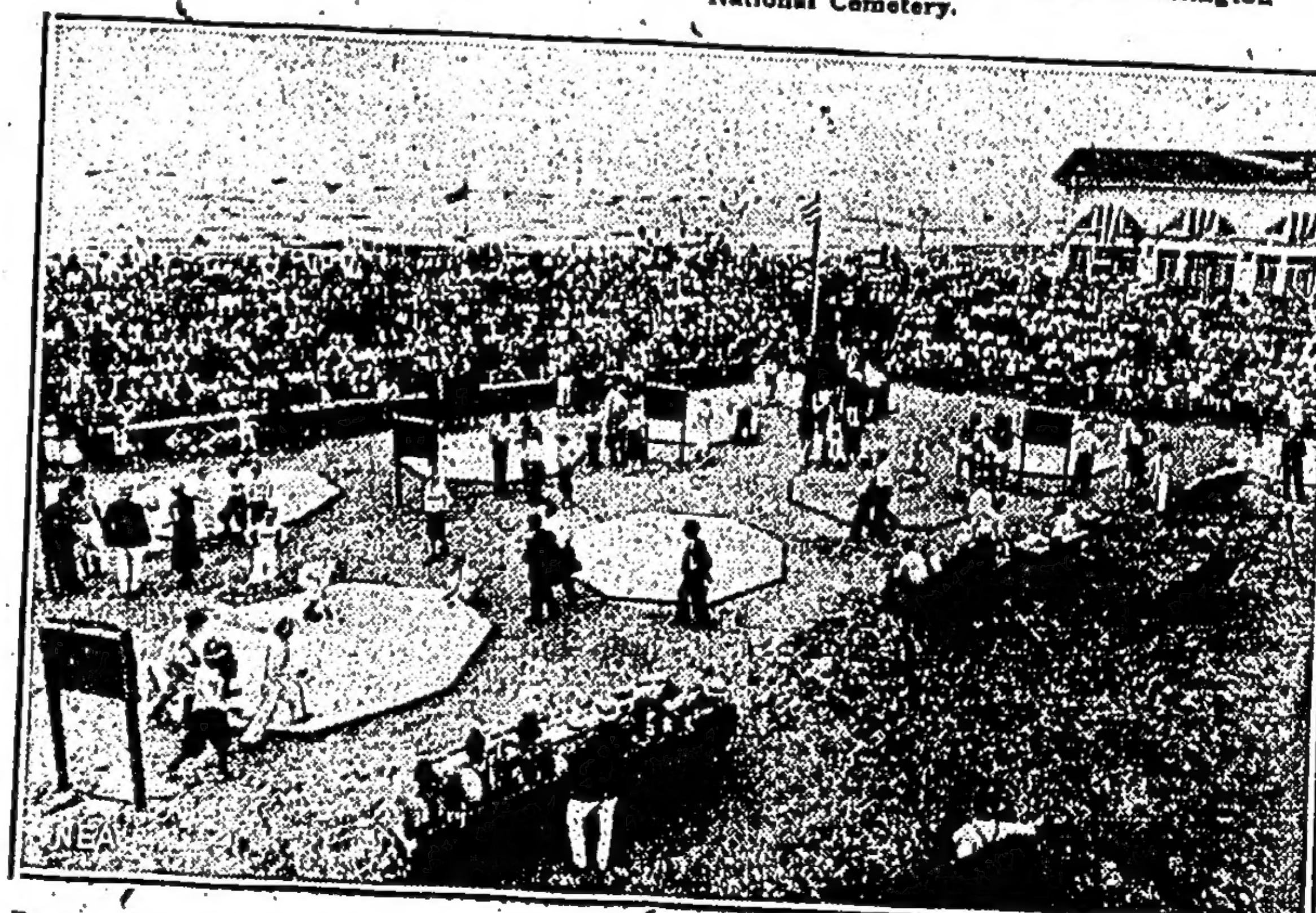
Harley Corum of Louisville, who outshot all his rivals in the tenth American marble championship. Last year he was runner-up.



Waging for the women of France a battle for votes, leaders of the French "feminist" movement are shown here as they carried to the Senate in Paris a plea for equal political rights. Mme. Maria Verone (with white above), noted lawyer, is seen in earnest conversation with Senator Louis Martin, a champion of the votes-for-women cause.



A solemn tribute to a fallen comrade-in-arms. The bonus army in Washington honouring the memory of America's Unknown Soldier: Walter F. Waters, commander-in-chief of the crusading veterans, is placing a wreath on the tomb in Arlington National Cemetery.



Boy marble-marksmen had heeded the call of "Knuckle down!" when this picture was snapped during the annual marble championship at Ocean City, N.J. The size of the gallery makes marble-shooting appear to be a major sport.

LEAD YEAR BRIDE

by Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

Cherry Dixon, 19 and pretty, falls in love with Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter whom hidden her to see. When Cherry learns Dan's father disapproves she has been kept from her father's disapproval and threatens to send her to California. Cherry dotes him and he orders her to leave.

She goes to Dan, tells him what has happened and asks him to marry her. The ceremony is performed that night by a justice of the peace. Next day Cherry, who has only the dress she is wearing, goes shopping. Total \$20.70. She is ashamed to tell Dan of this extravagance. Her maid comes to see Cherry's clothes and promises to send back to the store. That night Dan tells her Max Pearson will arrive next day.

CHAPTER XIII

Cherry put down her cup of coffee and raised her eyes to Dan's. "Mean to say you don't—why, Max?"

"No, I don't think so. Who is he?"

"Well, that's funny!" Phillips looked at the girl across the table and marvelled that he and Cherry who had come to mean so much to each other could have gone on for years knowing different people, going different places, talking about different things and never encountering each other. It was almost impossible now to think of himself as having an existence separate from Cherry's or her having an existence separate from his.

"Max is a great boy," he told her enthusiastically. "I know you'll like him. He works on the News—rewrite man. And, boy, can he write! One of the best newspaper men in town. Come to think of it, it's not so strange if I haven't mentioned him. Max has been in a hospital. Operated on for appendicitis about a month ago. Since then he's been down state with some relatives. Getting along O. K. I guess. Anyhow he's coming back to work tomorrow."

She could tell by the light in Dan's eyes that Max was the

more than an ordinary acquaintance, Cherry said.

"Of course it's a friend of yours. I'll like him. Tell me about him."

"Well, you have to know Max to really appreciate him. He isn't like other people. I mean he's hard-boiled and cynical, but that's because they don't understand him. Give him his last dime for a friend, Max would. Lots of nights we've sat around talking until two or three o'clock. Just talking. Max thinks our economic system is all wrong. He's pacifist too and dead against war. Sometimes when he's in the mood for it he'll quote you poetry by the hour. Kants and Housman and Swinburne. Knows them all."

"But I'd be afraid to talk to anyone who knows so much!" Cherry protested.

"No, you won't. You'll like him. You see old Max is real. He doesn't just fake this literary racket. Some day he'll write a great novel. He's read everything but that doesn't make him high hat. You'll be crazy about him—I know you will!"

"Well, I hope he'll like me."

"As though anyone could help that! I'll admit Max doesn't care much for most girls. Never goes around with them. Down at the office they call him a 'woman hater,' but he'll go for you all right!"

For another 10 minutes Dan sang the praises of his friend, Cherry, listening, thought Max Pearson must certainly be unlike anyone she knew. There were still doubts in her mind that she would be quite comfortable talking to a person of so much learning. Then she put the whole matter aside as unimportant.

What really counted was that for a few hours she and Dan were to be together.

They finished their coffee, left the restaurant and strolled out on the street considering how to spend

might rent a car at one of those "drive-it-yourself" agencies and take a spin out on Stewart road. Or would Cherry like to drop in to see the Norma Shearer picture? How about dancing?

Cherry voted for none of those things. They settled the problem by boarding a double-deck open air bus and climbing the perilous cylindrical stairway to the top deck. The seat across the aisle was vacant so there was no one to notice when Dan's arm slipped about Cherry. Her soft, fragrant hair blew against his cheek and Dan's arm tightened, drawing her close.

The other passengers, sitting two by two, were mostly boys and girls as young-looking as Dan and Cherry. Each couple seemed oblivious to the others. Overhead in a sky of midnight velvet the stars shimmered and twinkled as though symbolic of all the gems by which lovers' troth is radiant. Great planets, glowing with fiery radiance. Cool, silvery star spray made up of infinitesimal

darkness blotting out unpleasant realities. The bus top, jolting over city pavement, became young love's paradise.

Dan's lips brushed the forehead of the girl beside him. Her hand, stealing into his, clung warm and trusting.

"Fun, isn't it?" she whispered. "Great!"

They rode to the end of the bus line and then—back again. The girl who had seen spring cast its magic over Paris boulevards, whose costume was the exact and expensive duplicate of a French original and the young man who had been farm hand, book salesman, who had "bummed the rails" and—once—stood in a breadline, held hands and smiled into each other's eyes during the 10 cent bus ride exactly as hundreds of other sweethearts in hundreds of other cities were doing.

"It was lovely," Cherry said softly as they returned to the hotel. "Let's take the same ride again soon."

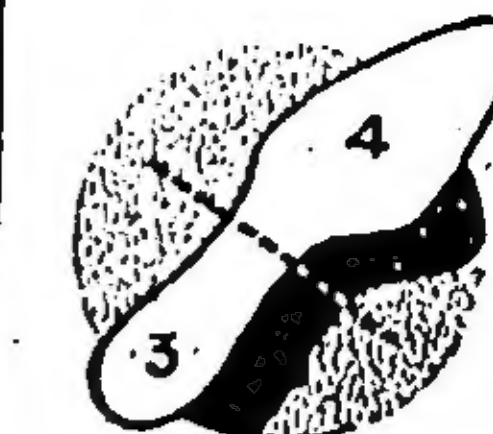
apartments. Cherry was anxious to leave the hotel, to have a home they could feel was distinctly their own. She was going to learn to cook and do all her own housework. Cherry knew how to preside with dignity at a tea table. She could distinguish choice caviar from inferior and order a perfect luncheon from a menu card in French. As to actual cooking she had never so much as boiled an egg or made a pot of coffee.

Cherry admitted her lack of housewifely knowledge. It was a standing joke between herself and Dan. That she could learn to manage a home quickly and easily she had not the slightest doubt.

"Well, honey," Dan told her, "I'm not so bad at flapjacks and fried eggs. I'll give you lessons. Woman, I can make Java that will curl your hair."

With the want ad list folded away in her purse Cherry set out next morning to look at apartments. There were two desirable residence neighbourhoods in Wallington

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the members holding shares upon
which only \$7.50 per share has
been paid, and that such Call will
be payable to the Bankers of the
Company, The Hong Kong &
Shanghai Banking Corporation, at
their Head Office, No. 1, Queen's
Road Central, Victoria, Hong
Kong, on the 30th day of Septem-
ber, 1932.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the
Company will be CLOSED from the
9th September to the 15th
September, 1932, both days inclu-
sive.

By Order of the Board,
W. L. MCKENZIE,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1932.

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the 25th August, 1932, or they will not be

recognized.

Damaged packages must be left in

the Godowns for examination by the

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voyor Messrs.—Goddard and Douglas

at 10.00 a.m. on Monday, the 22nd

August, 1932. Consignees must have a

Revenue Officer in attendance when

damaged packages are examined by

the dutiable goods are examined by

the Company's Surveyors.

No claims will be admitted after

the goods have left the Godowns.

No Fire Insurance will be effected

by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL,
Agent.

Hongkong, 15th August, 1932.

AMUSING CHILDREN,

FINE OF \$20 IMPOSED ON
CHINESE FOR CRUELTY

What has become a common

form of amusement for children in

Shaukiwan is engaging the atten-

tion of the Police who have dis-

covered that a number of parents

in the district have been catching

small birds and, after tying their

legs with a piece of string, giving

them to the children to play with.

In bringing the parent of a child

before Mr. Schofield at the Central

Police Court on Saturday on a

charge of causing cruelty to the

bird, Inspector G. A. Stinson in-

formed his Worship that the birds

were given to the children by their

parents. They were carried

around by the children suspended

on a string and when the bird flew

about it would be jerked back. In

some instances the bird was struck

on the ground.

In the case before the Court it

was stated that the defendant had

at first been carrying the bird him-

self and was seen to drop it several

times. He then handed to his

small son.

Remarking that it was the first

case of its sort, his Worship im-

posed a fine of \$20, but warned the

defendant that in future the fines

would be heavier.

SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local
share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.

Hongkong Banks, \$1660 aa.
Hongkong (Lon. Reg) £113 n.
Chartered Banks, £18 n.
Maritime Bank, A. & B. £21 n.
Maritime Bank C., £9 1/2 n.
East Asia, \$109 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., \$25 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Tls. 6 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Tls. 4.00 n.

Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$1410 n.
Union Ins., \$465/467 aa.
China Underwriters, £2.80 b.
China Fire, \$620 b.
H. K. Fire Ins., \$1200 n.
International Assoc. Tls. 4 n.

Shipping.

Douglases, \$26 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$22 1/2 b.
Indo-China, (Pref.) \$45 n.
Indo-China (Def.), \$32 n.
Shell (Bearer) 47/- n.
Union Waterboats, \$20 b.

Mining.

Benguet, \$16 1/2 s.
Kailans, 23/6 n.
Langkate (Single), Tls. 4 n.
S'hai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n.
S'hai Lanna, Tls. 2.30 n.
Kaubs, \$38 1/2 b.
Venz: Goldfields, \$1 1/2 n.
Benguet Exp., 25 cts. s.

Docks, etc.

H.K. & S. Wharves \$139 b.
H.K. & W. Docks, \$19 b.
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.
S. China Motor B., \$8 n.
Providents (old), \$5 aa.
Providents (new), \$2.80 n.
Hongkong, Tls. 218 n.
New Engineering, Tls. 6 n.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 84 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

Hotels (old), \$11 aa.
Hotels (new), \$10.65 aa.
H.K. Lands \$76 1/2 aa. x Div.
S'hai Lands, Tls. 24 3/4 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.
Humphreys, \$16.10 aa.
H.K. Realities \$10.80 n.
Asia Realities "A", \$155 n.
Asia Realities "B", \$264 n.
Chinese Estates, \$105 n.
China Realities, Tls. 11.40 n.
China Debentures Tls. 90 1/2 n.

Cottons.

Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.10 aa.
S'hai Cottons, Tls. 70 n.
Zeong Sings, Tls. 11.10 n.
Wing On Textiles (S.) \$145 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$22 1/2 b. x Div.
Peak Trams (old), \$16 n.
Peak Trams (new), 7 1/2 b.
Star Ferries, \$9 1/2 n.
Yau-mai Ferries (old), \$34 1/4 b.
Yau-mai Ferries (new), \$33 1/4 b.
China Lights (old), \$18 b.
China Lights (new), \$17.50 b.
H.K. Electric, \$77 1/4 n.
Macao Electric, \$24 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.
Telephones (F.P.), \$28 n.
Telephones (F.P.), \$23.80 b.
China Buses, Tls. 12 n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.
Singapore Pref. 12/6 n.

Industrials.

Malabon Sugars, \$23 b.
Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Tls. 14 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Tls. 10 1/2 n.
Canton Ice, \$6 n.
Cements (com.), \$15.90 aa.
Cements (old), \$10 1/4 n.
Cements (new), \$5 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$13 n.
Agriculturals, \$10 1/4 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$27.85 b.
Watsons (old), \$12.80 b.
Watsons (new), \$12 1/2 n.
Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawfords, \$5.50 b.
Mackintoshs, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$15.75 n.
Wm. Powells, \$3.35 n.
Wing On (H. K.), \$265 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$19 1/4 b.
Entertainments, \$13 1/2 n.
S. C. Entertainments, \$8 1/4 n.
United Theatres Tls. 5 n.
Macao "Grayhounds", \$10 n.
Constructions (old), \$7.50 b.
Constructions (new), \$1.70 n.
B. Ind. G. & Bonds, \$80 n.
H.K. Govt. Bonds, 3% Pre. aa.
Wallace Harpers, \$12.90 n.
China Sports Ltd., \$10 n.

SUGAR MARKET

THE LATEST CABLED
QUOTATION

The following cable at the close
of the sugar market on Saturday
has been received by Messrs. Pen-
treath and Co.

London Terminals.
December 1932 6/6 1/2 down 1/4 d.
March 1933 6/6 1/2 down 1/4 d.
May 1933 6/8 1/2 down 1/4 d.
August 1933 6/10 1/2 down 1/4 d.
Bakers at above prices, sellers.

BASEBALL IN U.S.A.

MATCH DECLARED VOID AND
RE-PLAY ORDERED

Brooklyn, Aug. 13.
Carey, has been re-appointed man-
ager of the Dodgers for the season
1932.—Reuter.

Batting Order Changed.

Chicago, Aug. 13.
Because the Yankees changed their
batting order President Harridge
has declared void the game with
Detroit which the New York team
won by six runs to three on August
1 last. The match will be re-played
in September next.—Reuter.

Latest Results.

New York, Aug. 13.
Melvin Ott and Bill Terry each
scored three home runs for New York
Giants in their two matches against
Brooklyn, who won both. In the first
game which went to the Dodgers by
18-9 Terry hit three circuit clouts
while Ott had two and Freddy Lind-
sheim one. Jim Taylor, Hack Wilson
and Tony Cucinello scored home runs
for the Dodgers.

In the second game during which
Ott scored four runs, he homered
once while for Brooklyn Stripp,
Lefty O'Doul and Cucinello
scored home runs to give the Dodgers
their second victory.

Holley, the Philadelphia Phillies' pitcher, was in splendid form and
blanketed Boston to give his side a 5-6
victory towards which George Davis
contributed a home run. Rixey
pitched for Cincinnati against Pitts-
burgh, who, up to last week, were the
leaders of the National League, and
held the Pirates to a blank. Yankees
Pitching for New York Yankees
Charley Ruffing was almost entirely
responsible for his team's defeat of
Washington by the only run scored.
Ruffing maintained perfect control of
the ball for ten innings when Had
bomered to give the Yankees victory.

National League.

New York	9	12	3
Brooklyn	18	24	3
New York	4	12	0
Brooklyn	5	11	2
Philadelphia	5	10	0
Boston	0	5	0
Pittsburgh	0	6	0
Cincinnati	3	7	0
St. Louis	1	7	0
Chicago	3	9	0

American League.

Boston	2	6	0
Philadelphia	13	17	0
Boston	2	9	1
Philadelphia	8	9	0
Chicago	5	10	4
St. Louis	7	12	3
Cleveland	8	8	0
Detroit	3	10	4
Washington	0	3	0
New York	1	7	0

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ANNEX FIVE EVENTS

A very successful aquatic gala was
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night, the occasion being the sports
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The gathering was very large, and
among these present was Lieut.-Col.
L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., Officer
Commanding the Corps. Captain
E. J. R. Mitchell and Miss Halifax,
daughter of the Hon. Mr. E. R.
Hallifax, who later presented the
trophies.

Of the seven events on the card, the
Portuguese Company annexed five,
the other two events going to the
Machine Gun Company.

At the conclusion of the meet, Miss
Hallifax presented the trophies to the
successful contestants.

Captain Mitchell, chairman of the
Committee, spoke a few words,
congratulating the Portuguese Com-
pany on their success.

The Corps band was in attendance
throughout the evening, and provided
a number of popular selections.

Dancing followed the close of the
sports, the Cheer-O Band, with Mr.
G. W. E. True, at the piano, supplying
the music.

Results:
50 yards Free Style Handicap.—1, Pte. J. J. King (M. G. Co.); 2, Pte. E. Marques (Portuguese Co.).
50 yards Championship.—1, Pte. S. V. Gittins (M. G. Co.); 2, L/Cpl. W. Lawrence (Portuguese Co.).
100 yards Free Style Handicap.—1, Pte. A. V. Goanoo (Portuguese Company); 2, L/Cpl. M. M. de V. Soares (Portuguese Co.).
100 yards Medley Championship.—1, Pte. L. Roza Pereira (Portuguese Co.); 2, Pte. H. M. Remedios (Portuguese Co.).
High Diving.—1, Pte. E. da Roza (Portuguese Co.); 2, Pte. E. Lawrence (Portuguese Co.).
50 yards Handicap.—1, Pte. J. J. King (Portuguese Co.); 2, Pte. M. A. Baptista (Portuguese Co.).
Hongkong Aquatic Derby.—1, Pte. L. Roza Pereira (Portuguese Co.); 2, Pte. S. Souza (Portuguese Co.).
Inter-Company Relay.—1, Portuguese Company "A"; 2, Machine Gun Company.

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London, Aug. 13.
Football in Scotland was ushered in
to-day with a full programme of
matches in both Divisions.

Several surprises were witnessed
during the afternoon. The champions of the
Senior clubs, secured only one of the
points from Kilmarnock at Fir Park,
sharing six goals.

What was probably the biggest
shock of the day was the defeat of
the Glasgow Rangers at Paisley
where St. Mirren scored twice without
reply.

East Stirling, who were promoted
from the Second Division, failed to
make an impression and lost at home
to Morton by three clear goals, but
St. Johnstone, the other promoted
team, did well to share four goals
with Third Lanark at Cathkin Park.

In the Second Division, Raith
Rovers, who were third to East
Stirling and St. Johnstone, thrashed
King's Park to the tune of nine goals
to one. Both Dundee United and
Leith, the two teams which received
relegation at the close of the last
season, were playing away and were
both beaten.

The full scores as cable by Reuter
and Our Own Correspondent are
given below:

First Division.

Airdrie	5	Clyde	2
Ayr	4	Queen's Park	3
Celtic	3	Aberdeen	0
Cowdenbeath	4	Falkirk	0
Dundee	1	Hamilton	5
East Stirling	0	Morton	3
Hearts	1	Kilmarnock	3
Partick	2	Rangers	0
St. Mirren	2	St. Johnstone	2
Third Lanark	2	Albion	



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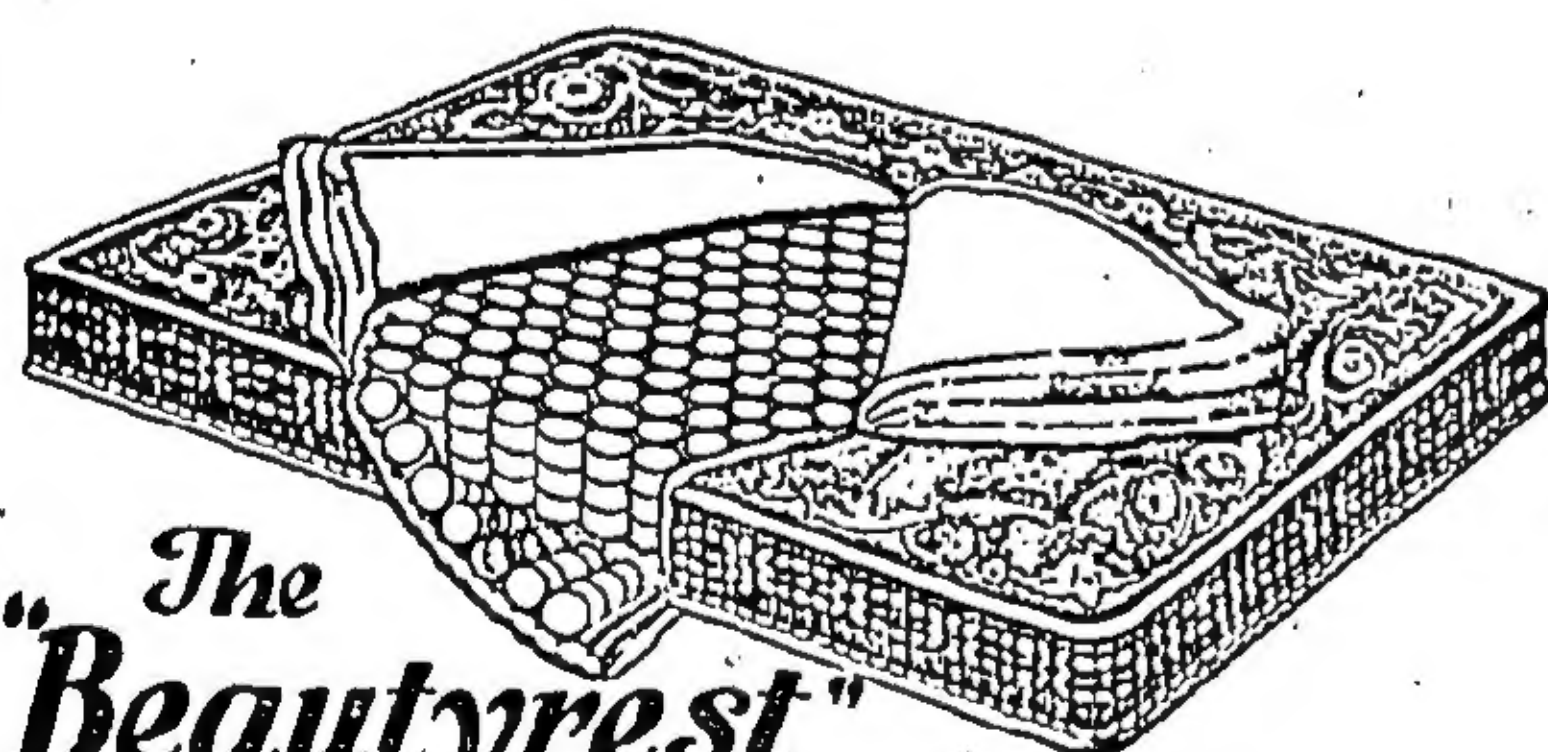
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The Hongkong Telegraph

MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 1932.

THE IRISH TROUBLE

A good deal of capital is being made by Labour journals in England over the fact that it was Mr. Arthur Greenwood, the former Labour Minister, who informed the House of Commons that Mr. de Valera had paid the land annuities into a suspense account, pending determination of their rightful ownership. "It would appear," says one journal, "that but for the consultations between the leader of the Labour Party in the Irish Dail and members of the British Labour Party, the debate on tariff action against the Irish Free State would have proceeded in ignorance of a vital fact." Some support, it is true, is lent to this claim from a remark made during the debate by Mr. J. H. Thomas, that "I wish I had known it before." Yet when the position is analysed, it appears that Mr. de Valera, in acting in this way, had no option in the matter, since, under the law as it stands, it is impossible for the Free State Government to appropriate the moneys. The law providing for payment into a separate account was passed by the Free State Parliament without any opposition whatever. In the circumstances, even Mr. de Valera could hardly go so far as to ignore the legal position.

It has been suggested in some quarters that Mr. de Valera has been amazed that the British Government should have thought he would use the moneys before the question of their final disposition is settled, and that the real immediate issue is not who should have the moneys but what sort of a tribunal is to decide who shall have them. One commentator says a dispute of this sort is well within the resources and statesmanship of the Commonwealth to settle on a basis of justice and equity, and that whichever party obstructs or endangers such a settlement will merit the condemnation of both peoples and of the British Commonwealth as a whole. The suggestion underlying this remark is that the British Government is the stumbling-block, but it has been abundantly shown that Mr. de Valera will not listen to a settlement "within the resources and statesmanship of the Commonwealth." He has set his face stubbornly against an Empire Tribunal, and,

therefore, he alone is the real obstructionist. It is quite another question whether the British Government has been as tactful as it might have been, and whether the cause of conciliation was helped by putting a tariff on Irish goods. But on the general issue, and on the assumption by the Free State of the right to break a solemn agreement unilaterally, there can be no question as to who is in the wrong.

But when we come down to the real issues, the dispute is obviously not merely one of these land annuities or even primarily economic. Behind Mr. de Valera, as a very liberal-toned British political review has asserted, lies the shadow of the gunman. He has released forces in Ireland which he may find it impossible to control, and the prospect of a heavily-guarded Free State-Ulster frontier is not a pleasant one. The supporters of Mr. de Valera are calling for national unity and designating as pro-British all who are opposed to the Free State Government. An early general election would, in the circumstances, hardly be likely to mean simply a peaceful return of Mr. Cochrane to power. And for this situation, with all its ugly possibilities, Mr. de Valera is primarily to blame.

POLICE RESERVE

ORDERS FOR THE CURRENT WEEK

Police Reserve Orders by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police, states:

Chinese Company

Strength.—The following have been taken on the strength of the Chinese Company, as from 11th August, 1932:—Constables R.21 To Kwan Chuen, R.35 Li Kai Sun, R.47 Leung U San.

Training Course.—Part II.—All recruits will attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, August 16th at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

Revolver Practice.—Revolver practice will be carried out by members of the Chinese Company on the Kennedy Road Range on Wednesday, August 17th at 5.30 p.m. under S. I. Hopkins. All members who have been detailed will assemble at the Range at that time.

Training Course.—Part I.—All recruits of the Chinese Company will attend Central Police Station for Squad Drill on Thursday, August 18th at 5.30 p.m. Dress—White Uniform and Cap with White Cover.

Indian Company

Strength.—Constable R.272 Itahim Box has been taken on the strength of the Indian Company, as from 9th August 1932.

Leave.—Constable R.253 Mohamed Ahsan has been granted 8 months' leave of absence from the Colony, as from 16th August 1932.

Revolver Practice.—Revolver practice will be carried out by members of the Indian Company on the Kennedy Road Range on Wednesday, August 24th at 5.30 p.m. under S. I. Hopkins. Members will assemble at the Range at that time.

Inspection Parade. All ranks of the Indian Company will parade at Central Police Station on Thursday, August 26th, for a general inspection of equipment etc. by the Company Commander. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress—White Uniform, Cap with White Cover, Bolt, Transcheon, Whistle, and Armband with Badge. Those not in possession of uniform will attend in mufti. No member may be absent from this parade without leave from the Company Commander. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being present. Recruits will attend.

The next instructional patrol will take place on Friday, August 26th, at the Central Police Station. All members must attend. Fall in at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Dress—white Uniform and Cap with White Cover.

Reserve Emergency Unit.

Strength.—Constable R.420 W.J.C. Fletcher has been permitted to resign from the Reserve Emergency Unit, as from 5th August 1932.

Promotions.—P.C.R. 436 R.A. Starling promoted to L/Sgt. (Equipment Officer), P.C.R. 436 B.S.M. Veliki promoted to L/Sgt. Section Leader, P.C.R. 411 M.H. Arnold promoted to L/Sgt. Section Leader, P.C.R. 417 L. Dowdall promoted to L/Sgt. Section Leader, P.C.R. 429 F. Brett promoted to L/Sgt. Section Leader. All above to date from 12/8/32.

Meetings.—A meeting of all N.C.O.'s will take place on Friday, August 19th, at 5.30 p.m. to meet at Star Ferry, Hongkong. (Sgt.) D. L. KING, D.S.P. (R).

Convicted for bright light fishing, a Chinese was fined \$5 by Comdr. Newill, at the Marine Court this morning. A sub-officer of the Fire Brigade saw the accused in the smallest of three boats fishing with bright lights. On the arrival of a police launch accused extinguished the light by dipping the lamp in the water.

DAY BY DAY

A MAN SHOULD NEVER BE ASHAMED TO OWN HE HAS BEEN IN THE WRONG, WHICH IS BUT SAYING, IN OTHER WORDS, THAT HE IS WISER TO-DAY THAN HE WAS YESTERDAY.—Pope.

The Empress of Japan is due here from Vancouver at 11 a.m. on Friday.

A Chinese boatman was fined \$10 at the Marine Court this morning, for leaving port without a clearance.

A man named Au Mai, aged 24, of no fixed abode, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday suffering from Lysol poisoning, believed to have been self-administered.

The body of a man named Lam Lai, of Nam Tau, in Chinese territory, was sent to the Kowloon Mortuary from the Ping Shan District yesterday after the man had committed suicide by cutting his throat with a chopper.

Between 6.30 and 10.15 a.m. yesterday, it is alleged that a coolie, employed at the Hunters' Arms, Fanning, absconded and took with him a .38 revolver and a small sum of money belonging to Mr. Browning, manager of the Arms.

Mrs. Shaughy of 1, Norfolk Road, Kowloon Tong, has reported to the police that some-one gained admittance to the sitting room of her house some time between 4 p.m. and 9 p.m. yesterday whilst the door was left closed but not locked, and stole a table cloth.

In swerving to avoid a Chinese in Laichikok Road on Saturday, Mr. Valdaiff, of the Socony Installation at Laichikok, collided with the railing surrounding the plot of grass down the centre of the road. Slight damage was caused to the rails and also to the car which Mr. Valdaiff was driving.

Mr. A. G. Coppin, residing at 528, Coombe Road, the Penk, reported to the Police yesterday that whilst driving his motor car towards Hongkong from his residence he collided with a public vehicle at the junction of Coombe Road and Stubbs Road. Only slight damage was caused to the public car.

Three coolies who were sitting on a motor lorry in Prince Edward Road were thrown off when a bamboo pole which was projecting from the load gave way yesterday afternoon. One of them was injured about the face and head, while the other two suffered minor injuries to their body. The first man was detained at the Kowloon Hospital but the other two were discharged after being attended to.

A lesson and a moral for ambitious young ladies appears to be the justification for "She Wanted a Millionaire," the film now showing at the King's Theatre, and but for the light relief provided by Una Merkel and Joan Bennett's swim in the period before he discovers she is to marry another man, it would be just tiresome melodrama. Joan Bennett does her best to make herself look beautiful and the picture worth seeing.

A reception was held in the German Consulate General on German Constitution Day, Dr. Wagner, the Senior Consul in Canton, being the host. Later a most successful party was given in the Tungshan Garden Klub by the German Community to all their friends in Canton. Owing to the bad state of affairs last year the German people did not hold any kind of reception in the Klub in celebration of this day. This was fully made up for this year. Dancing was held on the roof garden. Practically the whole of the foreign community was present.



"We're terribly sorry our radio isn't working. Horace wanted to tune in on some fireworks."

THE QUARREL OF THE SEXES

BY "AN OLD STAGER"

THE eternal duel of sex, which dates back long before the Ice Age, looks like developing into a pitched battle. Our enfranchised ladies are not content with their accomplished triumphs. Votes for all, in a realm of officially proclaimed sex equality, is not enough. Ambitious feminists, far from resting gracefully on their laurels, are now engaged in drastic analysis and critical accountancy of the male biped. Man. An equal place in the sun is not sufficient for them. They are busily asserting a definite feminine superiority.

We have recently had a volume of essays on Man, beautifully written and expensively printed, by different well-known women writers. And almost daily in the newspapers, now assiduously cultivating and catering for women readers, some elite feminine champion couches her fountain pen at the weaknesses and absurdities of the exploded bubble that, comically expiring myth, the erstwhile Lord of Creation. I have just been reading one such onslaught by a woman journalist, who writes about the unhappy fellow who has the honour to be her husband in terms of merciless intimacy and pitiless irony.

The poor wretch cannot, one gathers, even fill a hot-water bottle properly in any sudden midnight emergency. His sardonic better-half contrasts this fumbling male incompetence with the illusion of strong masculine efficiency he maintains at his business office. She infers that, behind what business efficiency really exists there, some capable and self-effacing lady secretary must be quietly making good. Some efficient woman, she is positive, must be sorting out his muddled desk and making the wheels of business run smoothly for him.

Woman Wields the Club. Cynics might detect in this feminine attack, especially if they are married cynics, some hint of green-eyed jealousy. But undoubtedly they would be wrong. No up-to-date feminist would entertain that sort of old-fashioned sloppiness where a husband is concerned who cannot fill a hot-water bottle.

This drastic critic of Man, the hereditary bungler, argues that the caveman is a myth. She contends that in prosaic fact, even in his primeval manifestations, when he may be assumed to have been in his prime, the caveman was a doddering, helpless incompetent, who assiduously camouflaged his deficiencies by a loud braggadocio.

No doubt this sort of thing is inevitable. Women now have the whip hand, and, in revenge perhaps, for atavistic memories of being clubbed over the head, are using it with gusto. Yet one cannot help discovering certain flaws in the feminist logic. After all, when the hot-water bottle episode is more attentively considered, it was the lady journalist, and not her deplorable husband, who felt the need of it. That seems to be a point to the degenerate caveman as against the accepted feminist.

But there are more fundamental flaws than that in the indictment. One finds it difficult to reconcile feminist contentions with feminine symptoms. Lady journalists may heap satire on Man, the incompetent pretender, in the newspaper columns, but their lay sisters are still keen enough on getting him to take them out to

dinner, to partner them on the dance floor or the tennis court, and even to philander with them between whiles. The New Eve, in fact, exhibits no outward and visible recoil from the Old Adam. Perhaps, after all, Dame Nature is still more potent than an Act of Parliament. The Life Force may be mightier than the journalistic pen. Amid the machine-gun rattle of the feminists' typewriters, bawling the imbecilities of the male animal, one catches the familiar strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March and the Voice that breathed o'er Eden.

The Tradition of Reticence.

It may even appear to some, not too biased onlookers, that the Old Man, particularly at this juncture, is displaying at any rate sounder sense and much better manners than the New Woman. He is not, for one thing, taking the New Woman quite so seriously as she takes herself. For another, he refrains from publishing newspaper articles, under his own name, about the private and intimate eccentricities and foibles of the wife of his bosom. We may put that fact down to the respectable reticence of his older sportsmanship, and to a certain public school code of personal conduct that does not yet function noticeably in the female of the literary species. As the wine of newly vintaged feminism matures, and becomes less heady, maybe its bouquet will improve in graciousness.

But men can well afford to be tolerant under the slings and arrows of outrageous feminism. So far, in the saga of the old world's slow history, it has fallen to Man to reclaim the earth from barbarism. Whatever structure of civilisation now exists, he built. He slew the sabre-toothed tiger and subdued the other terrors that walked by day amid the dawn of history. He made the world's bridges, laid its reclaiming roads, designed and rivetted its ocean ships, constructed its water supplies, harvested its grain, and roofed its homesteads. Enfranchised feminism in the twentieth century A.D. inherits, ready-made and docile to her hand, the fruits of masculine effort and thought through many ages. It was Man, the hot-water bottle bungler, who made the world fit for enlightened feminism to boast in. Lady journalists may look the gift horse in the mouth, and criticise its teeth, but the animal is there.

And men have done something else. They conspired to invent the ideal, perhaps the illusion of femininity. Women were not the authors but the pets of Chivalry. Women would never, knowing each other as they do, have suspected, without the male inspiration, that they were angels.

Greatly Idealised. It would be a most intriguing debate—whether the more hollow fraud is the masculine caveman or the feminine goddess. Woman's ministering angel warranty, so far as it continues to exist, bears the autograph of Man, the bungler, not of Woman, the butterfly of fashion. It is the aura that men have created round women that enables them to-day to be in the happy position of making the best of both worlds—the world of chivalry that is perhaps vanishing and of feminism that may perhaps vanish. Sex equality does not exist. Women to-day continue to enjoy practically all their old privileges, plus all their newly acquired rights and advantages. The penny with which they toss up with Fate is a double-headed one. The Life Force loads the dice.

In face of all the facts, the lady journalist, who sacrifices her husband for not knowing how to fill a hot-water bottle, resembles the man who reviled the sun because it would not light his cigar. But one admits that, if women are now behaving in many cases like spoiled children, men are largely to blame. They patented this myth about flawless femininity. They hoisted Woman on to her pedestal. They burnt incense round the idol. They must not be annoyed now, if women have taken them seriously.

There is a grim story of an idol that developed sudden egomania. That ill-fated piece of clay perished at the hands of its former devotees. Let us hope nothing of that sort is in store for enfranchised feminism; that no rude unleashing of crude primitive forces sweeps it back into the rough maelstrom of brute creation. If it came to a primeval struggle for sheer existence woman's new sovereignty might prove as pretty a gossamer illusion as the caveman's capacity when confronted with a hot-water bottle. Men have redeemed the primitive earth for their feminine deity. They may not be potent enough to ensure her sovereignty against her own errant lack of perspective.

What shall it profit enfranchised feminism, if it gains a perfectly filled hot-water bottle, and loses the patient heritage of two hundred manharvested centuries?

ZIMMERN UNDER SEVERE CROSS-EXAMINATION

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remarks of that kind are to be objected to.

Mr. Potter:—Then, my Lord, shall be as silent as an oyster.

Mr. Jenkin (to witness):—What's your answer to that?—I have practically forgotten your question.

CANT RECOLLECT.

My question was that there's an entire omission from that statement of any reference to the conversation to which you have spoken between yourself, Cheng and Christie in the Nathan Hotel room with regard to getting rid of Fung?—I cannot recollect.

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Mr. Jenkin repeated the question to which Zimmerman replied, "That I don't know."

You have referred yourself to a revision to your evidence?—Yes, quite so.

A BLACKMAILER.

You are a blackmailer I think?—Well, according to this case you can put it at that, yes.

I just want to deal first of all, before I cross-examine you on this blackmailing aspect, with just a little history leading up to this matter. You arrived in February this year?—Yes.

From Shanghai?—Yes.

Where you had been for four years?—Yes.

Chief Justice:—I don't see any blackmailing yet in this case.

Mr. Jenkin:—On his evidence, in-chief he and Christie hoped to get \$5,000 out of Cheng.

Chief Justice:—Swindle.

Mr. Jenkin:—He used the word himself.

ONLY SWINDLE.

Mr. Jenkin:—Swindle; I will use the word swindle.

Chief Justice:—Yes, but not blackmail.

Mr. Jenkin:—I will use the word swindle, then.

Mr. Jenkin (to witness):—And whilst there (I don't want to quibble about small points), you had seven jobs in two and a half years and for one and a half years you were out of a job?—No, sir. I was never out of work for one and a half years. I had several jobs.

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Who introduced you?—Mr. Poon.

If Mr. Poon says he didn't, what do you say to that?—Then it is his word against mine, and my word against his.

Why did you approach Cheng?—I did not approach Cheng.

You say it was a chance meeting?—We were in the South China Athletic Association when I was introduced to him there.

Did you know anything at that time about Cheng's affairs?—No.

You knew nothing about him either personally, socially or his business?—No. I only knew his brother Cheng Kwok-on.

You did not know at that time that Fung had alienated Lai Ming-fay's affections?—No.

REPULSE BAY INCIDENT.

Cross examined on the alleged Repulse Bay Hotel incident when Cheng gave witness \$2 and asked him to sit at a separate table, Zimmerman said he did not ask Cheng who Fung and Lai were until after he had been given the money. He was told that Fung was George Fung, the George Fung witness had known in Shanghai but he did not question Cheng as regards Lai Ming-fay, nor did Cheng tell him anything of her history, that she was an actress and had been a friend of his.

Mr. Jenkin: Are we to understand now that when you were told to sit at a separate table you had no idea who Lai Ming-fay was?—None whatever.

Although you had asked him?—All he told me, as far as I can remember was that he did not like to be seen by Fung at the same table with me.

Did you ask him who Lai Ming-fay was?—I can't recollect.

Witness was asked the same question several times but he could not remember.

"I MAY HAVE."

Mr. Jenkin: On that Sunday did you ask him about Lai Ming-fay or not?—I may have.

Mr. Jenkin:—You omitted to tell us that, when you were staying at the Nathan Hotel, in the same room, was Christie?—That question was never put to me.

And you were staying on the same floor as George Fung?—I did not know.

Asked why he stayed at the Nathan Hotel, witness said it was always late when he left Cheng at 50, Village Road. He could not go all the way to his uncle's house at Kowloon Tong. He did not stay at his parents' house because they did not like him going home late. He had no desire to stay in Hotels in Hongkong but preferred Yau-mat, where it was cheaper.

Mr. Jenkin:—Do you remember depositing to an alleged conversation with Cheng in the early morning of March 19, when you said to Cheng you were sure the two men he had talked about would not carry out his instructions and asked him to let you have the matter in your hands?—That does not mean there was any intention of swindling.

I want to warn you this much. I am asking you if you said it?—Yes, I admit it.

THE TIGER TRIAD.

I challenge the whole of that evidence and I put it to you that you asked Cheng to leave the matter in your hands?—I said that the two men happened to be the Tiger Triad, a society in which I had very little faith, and I knew that they were out for Cheng's money. That is why I said "leave the matter in your hands."

Now that statement, I put to you, if true, is absolutely new?—Yes.

You have never suggested it before?—The question was never put to me. I knew the men were two rogues out to swindle Cheng and get his money.

Mr. Jenkin:—And the reason why you suggested the matter be taken from one lot of swindling rogues, was in order to put it in the hands of two other swindling rogues?—No, I don't agree. I had every right to ask him to let me handle the matter because I was employed as his personal body-guard.

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Witness: That is entirely false. You and Christie had worked it out when staying in the same room?—That is an allegation.

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I am putting it to you to agree with me or deny it?—Well, how comes it that he had two men shadowing Fung?

SLAP IN THE FACE.

Answer my question. I put it to you that Cheng was at last persuaded to go across to the Nathan Hotel on this basis only—that there should be nothing more than the slapping of Fung's face?—Yes, I quite agree.

Mr. Jenkin repeated his question and Zimmerman's second answer was "That is not so." He said that Cheng wanted "the boys" to give Fung a hiding.

Mr. Jenkin: Well, did you say this to the magistrate in the lower court "He (Cheng) said all he wanted us to do was to get hold of

That proportion was acceptable to you?—Well, I would take it. Did you not tell the learned magistrate that the proportions were 4-4-2?—Yes, the same as 2-2-1, because I knew that we could not get \$10,000.

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Mr. Jenkin repeated his question and Zimmerman's second answer was "That is not so." He said that Cheng wanted "the boys" to give Fung a hiding.

Mr. Jenkin: Well, did you say this to the magistrate in the lower court "He (Cheng) said all he wanted us to do was to get hold of

That proportion was acceptable to you?—Well, I would take it. Did you not tell the learned magistrate that the proportions were 4-4-2?—Yes, the same as 2-2-1, because I knew that we could not get \$10,000.

You were satisfied with that proportion?—I knew for certain that we could not get \$10,000. It might interest you to know that Cheng actually asked Christie to take \$2,000, the balance of \$8,000 to be put in a bank account, in Christie's name. I knew then there was something fishy and I told Christie not to fall for it.

Mr. Jenkin:—Did I ask you that?

Zimmerman:—No, but I thought it might interest you.

THE WINK.

When was it fixed?—The first thing I can remember about attempting to swindle accused was when he gave me \$10 in Statue Square and asked Christie and I to consult other lawyers. It was then I asked Christie about his wink.

Mr. Jenkin:—Wink, wink, wink. This is the first time we have heard about a wink. What wink?

Zimmerman:—Christie gave me a wink at the Nathan Hotel when we were talking about the poison and I was eager to know all about it.

What did you understand by that wink?—After the offer of \$10,000 to put Fung away with a gun, Christie suggested poison. I was startled and Christie gave me a wink.

SWINDLING IDEA.

Do you say that the idea of swindling Cheng never entered your head up to that moment?—Not so far as I know.

Do you say that this idea of swindling Cheng which you, Christie and Fung arranged never entered your head before that moment?—Well I don't say that.

Mr. Jenkin:—No, I should think not.

Zimmerman:—The idea came into my head when we were having dinner, but I did not speak about it.

Mr. Jenkin:—Do you remember depositing to an alleged conversation with Cheng in the early morning of March 19, when you said to Cheng you were sure the two men he had talked about would not carry out his instructions and asked him to let you have the matter in your hands?—That does not mean there was any intention of swindling.

I want to warn you this much. I am asking you if you said it?—Yes, I admit it.

THE TIGER TRIAD.

I challenge the whole of that evidence and I put it to you that you asked Cheng to leave the matter in your hands?—I said that the two men happened to be the Tiger Triad, a society in which I had very little faith, and I knew that they were out for Cheng's money. That is why I said "leave the matter in your hands."

Now that statement, I put to you, if true, is absolutely new?—Yes.

You have never suggested it before?—The question was never put to me. I knew the men were two rogues out to swindle Cheng and get his money.

Mr. Jenkin:—And the reason why you suggested the matter be taken from one lot of swindling rogues, was in order to put it in the hands of two other swindling rogues?—No, I don't agree. I had every right to ask him to let me handle the matter because I was employed as his personal body-guard.

U.S. MOTOR SALES SLUMP

INDUSTRY IN SERIOUS POSITION

New York, July 18.

The earnings of the motor-car industry—excluding Ford—for the first quarter of this year show an 88 per cent. decline compared with last year. Sales had dropped by 30 per cent.

This difference in the decline of earnings and sales may be accounted for, according to the *Evening Post*, by the fact that in the first quarter of 1931 the motor-car industry—again excluding Ford—operated to about 40 per cent. of its working capacity, while this year it has operated at 30 per cent.

This latter figure is under what is considered to be the "danger line" because, when a plant is operated at 40 per cent. of its capacity, it is generally understood that it has reached the marginal operating ratio between operating at a profit and operating at a loss.

During the first quarter of 1931, the sales for the industry averaged one dollar fifty-six cents for every dollar invested capital. But during the same period this year, sales averaged only one dollar ten cents for every dollar of invested capital.

Operating at 40 per cent. of capacity in the first quarter of 1931, the industry had factory sales of about 360,000,000 dollars (\$72,000,000 at par) from which they derived net earnings of nearly 10 per cent.

In the first quarter of 1932—operating at 30 per cent. of capacity—the sales amounted to 250,000,000 dollars (\$50,000,000 at par) from which net earnings amounted to only 1 1/2 per cent.

Frequent reports indicate that several manufacturers intend to enter the low-priced field, competing with Ford, Chevrolet, and Plymouth.

Commenting on such reports, the *Evening Post* considers that such a move at the present time is regarded as "highly dangerous."

"It appears to be a leap in the dark," this journal says, "in the hope that it will result in increased production. It is believed to be better to reorganise capital structures on the basis of present stock prices and eliminate some of the unnecessary capacity upon which the companies are now trying to earn dividends."

In the face of the present terrible economic conditions, 450,000,000 dollars (\$90,000,000 at par) have already been spent by the public in the first five months of this year for passenger cars. Last year 750,000,000 dollars (\$150,000,000) were spent in a corresponding period. This indicates very forcibly that people are going to have transportation in spite of the devil and high water, and should convince sceptics, if any be left, that the automobile has now become an economic necessity and not a luxury."

Fung and hold him so that he (Cheng) could slap Fung in the face and save his own. Is that true?—Yes.

Mr. Jenkin: I put it to you that Cheng was reluctant to have anything to do with it and you had to wait for him and finally telephone for him to come over?—The reason was he was having a game of snooker.

Did you telephone?—Yes, because he was so late.

You sat as host at the dinner?—Yes.

NOT A SOLOMON!

And you had your own girl?—Not my own girl. I am not a Solomon.

Mr. Jenkin: Now let us get the atmosphere. This dinner is taking place and he is going to talk murder in an hour or so. You were sitting as his host with a girl; other girls were present and these girls accompanied you to the Nathan Hotel?—No, they did not come to the Nathan Hotel.

I put it to you that they went to the Nathan Hotel, remained in the hotel and left when the party left the hotel?—No.

You swear it?—At least, I cannot recollect.

Then what about your evidence in the magistracy? Did you identify two girls present at dinner, and also at the Nathan Hotel afterwards?—I can remember one of the girls at the dinner also being present at the Nathan Hotel.

DIFFERENT GIRLS?

Under further cross-examination, witness thought that the girls who subsequently left the Nathan Hotel when the party broke up were not the girls present at the dinner earlier in the evening.

Proceeding, he said that the party was "pretty merry" under the influence of seven bottles of beer and one bottle of Chinese wine. All of them were willing to see Fung's face slapped.

Mr. Jenkin: You would have us believe that Cheng, from wanting

To indulge in the humour of slapping Fung's face in front of a girl, suddenly turned into a maniac and murderer and had long discussions with you as to how he should encompass the man's death?—I don't know.

"A PIECE OF MIND."

Mr. Jenkin:—The room at the Tung Shan Hotel was paid for by Cheng but engaged in the name of Christie?—Yes.

If the boy who booked the room says only one man went to the room and that man was Christie, what will you say?—I have a piece of my mind about him.

The trial is proceeding.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME OF RECORDED MUSIC

Broadcast by Z.H.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.'s).

6-8 p.m. European programme.

6-7.15 p.m. A programme of Victor & H.M.V. records.

6-6.18 p.m. Band Music.

Pavola of Flowers (Woodford-Flinders)

Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards C1072.

(a) Air de Ballet

(b) Callithree (Chamblade)

Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards C1501.

6.18-6.40 p.m.

Concerto for Violoncello and Orchestra, Op. 85 (Elsner)

Played by Beatrice Harrison and the New Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar, O.M., K.C.V.O. D1607/D1609.

7 p.m. (Stock Quotations, etc.).

6.40-7.15 p.m. Variety.

The Quaker Girl—Vocal Gema

Light Opera Company C2015.

Chorus—Humorous Song—What Archibald Saw, Gema

Grace Fields H3592

Orchestral—The Land of Smiles—Selection

Symphony Orchestra C2227.

Humorous Duologue—Auto-Suggestion

Alexander and Mose H3325.

Chorus—Songs of Good Cheer

Light Opera Male Chorus C2761.

7.15-8 p.m. From the Studio.

Selections by Beverly Erwin and his

Orchestra, Serenaders of the "President"

McKinley.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-10.30 p.m. Chinese Programme.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

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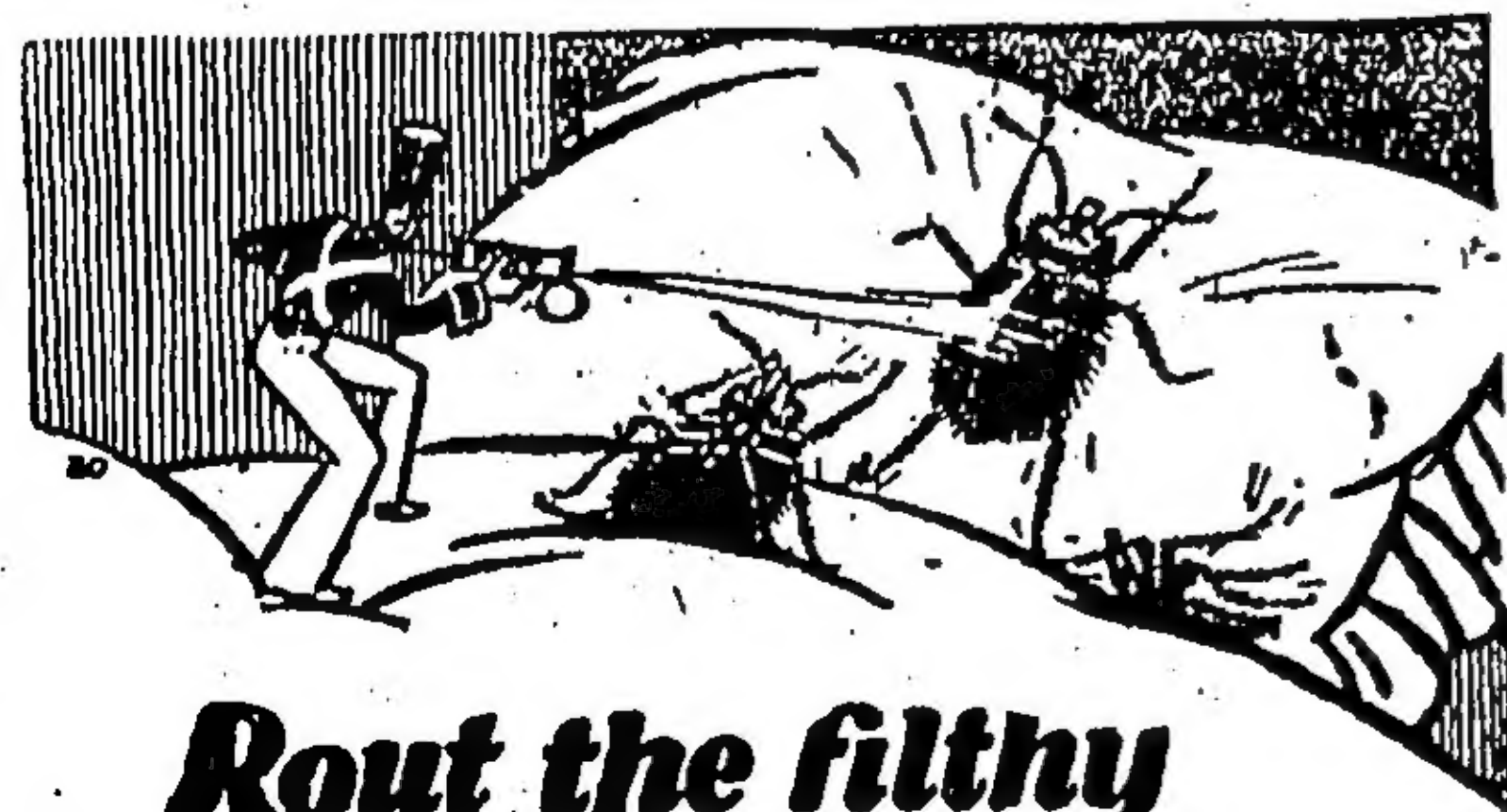
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LEAGUE TENNIS

HEADING FOR THREE TITLES

C.R.C. TO REPEAT
1926-28
ACHIEVEMENT?

The Lawn Tennis League is now
coming to a close, and on Saturday
last only three matches were played,
all of which were in the "C" Divi-
sion.

The Chinese Recreation Club in-
flicted a heavy defeat on the Army
Tennis Club by securing all nine
sets, and this concluded their pro-
gramme of matches in all of which
they were successful. Their senior
team has annexed the "A" Division
championship, while their "B" team
has yet to play the Craigengower
C.C. to decide that championship.

Of the other two matches on
Saturday, the Radio Sports Club sur-
prised the University, and the Crai-
gengower C.C. defeated the Police
R.C.

The results of the matches are as follows:

At Causeway Bay the Chinese R.C.
defeated the Army Tennis Club by
nine sets to nil. Scores:
M. K. Lau and L. F. Hon (C.R.C.)
beat G. F. Mitchell and J. Jarman
6-2; beat Davies and Lewis 6-0; beat
Matthews and Norris 6-3.

S. W. Liang and H. S. Kwok
(C.R.C.) beat Mitchell and Jarman
7-5; beat Davies and Lewis 6-3; beat
Matthews and Norris 6-3.

Y. K. Mow and P. K. Lau (C.R.C.)
beat Mitchell and Jarman 7-5; beat
Davies and Lewis 6-1; beat Matthews
and Norris 6-1.

Craigengower C.C. v Police.

At Happy Valley the Craigengower
C.C. defeated the Police R.C. by eight
sets to one. Scores:

W. Reed and Y. E. Mok (Craig-
engower) beat Pile and Carruthers
6-4; beat Baker and Mottram 6-1;
beat Dredge and Moss 6-0.

E. Howard and T. Lock (C.C.C.)
drew with Pile and Carruthers 6-6;
beat Baker and Mottram 6-2; beat
Dredge and Moss 6-1.

University v Radio S.C.

At Pokfulam, the Radio Sports
Club defeated the University by five
and a half sets to three and a half.
Scores:

P. L. Tan and H. M. Lee (Univer-
sity) beat Hanwell and Chanson 7-5;
lost to W. Wu and G. M. Khan 3-6;
A. L. Tsai and Saluoy (Univer-
sity) beat Hanwell and Chanson 6-1;
lost to Davis and Singh 4-6; lost to
Wu and Khan 4-6.

P. P. Kho and H. H. Zar (Univer-
sity) beat Hanwell and Chanson 6-2;
drew with Davis and Singh 6-6; lost
to Wu and Khan 4-6.

League Tables Up To Date.

	P	W	D	L	Pts.
C.R.C.	4	3	—	1	8
I.R.C.	4	3	—	1	6
K.C.C.	4	1	1	2	3
H.K.C.C.	3	—	1	2	1
S.C.A.A.	3	—	—	3	—

	P	W	D	L	Pts.
C.C.C.	7	7	—	—	14
S.C.A.A.	7	6	—	1	12
C.R.C.	5	5	—	—	10
University	7	3	1	3	7
A.T.C.	7	3	—	4	6
I.R.C.	8	2	2	4	6
C. de R.	6	2	—	4	4
H.K.C.C.	6	1	1	4	3
C.S.C.C.	8	—	—	8	—

	P	W	D	L	Pts.
C.R.C.	13	13	—	—	26
C. de R.	14	13	—	—	26
S.C.A.A.	12	10	—	2	20
Graduates	12	8	—	4	16
Y.M.C.A.	12	7	1	4	15
A.T.C.	14	6	—	8	12
K.I.T.C.	13	5	2	7	12
I.R.C.	12	4	3	5	11
R.S.C.	10	4	1	5	9
C.C.C.	10	3	2	5	8
University	10	3	2	5	8
H.K.C.C.	8	2	1	5	5
F.C.	13	2	1	10	5
K.C.C.	12	2	1	9	5
P.O.	14	—	—	14	—

HAPPY VALLEY GOLF.

CHAMPIONSHIP PLAYED OFF YESTERDAY

Many notable local golfers, in-
cluding O. E. C. Marton, H. U. Ire-
land, Dr. Mackie and C. W. F. Booker
withdrew from the Happy Valley
Championship, which was played off
yesterday. Of the 52 entries that
were taken out for the morning round
no less than 20 of the players retired
from the afternoon round.

Altogether there were 56 entries
for the Happy Valley Championship,
44 for the Captain's Cup and 62 for
the Medal Pool.

It is not yet known who returned
the best score for the day, but A. E.
Lissaman returned the best card for
the morning, doing the 18 holes in
73 strokes. He was followed by F.
J. de Rome, who had a total of 80
and A. B. Stewart with 82.

The full results will not be avail-
able until either to-morrow or Wed-
nesday.

Happy Valley Foursomes.

Three Third Round matches in the
Happy Valley Foursomes were decid-
ed during the week with the following
results:

K. S. Robertson and Capt. H. W.
Davies (25) beat T. R. Rowell and
W. A. Stewart (34) one up.

C. B. Robertson and D. S. Edward
(28) beat Capt. H. V. B. Denfield and
J. B. Mackie (26) by 3 and 1.

R. K. Valentine and A. E. Charman
(20) beat G. W. Sowell and W. J.
Waddington (31) two up.

EVOLUTION OF TENNIS

Interesting Development of World's Most Popular Pastime

The following letter, on the evolution of lawn tennis, was sent to
the Editor of the London "Times" by Lord Dunsin:

Sir,—The supreme excellence
which has now been reached by
the best players at lawn tennis
drives one to think of the past,
and the suggestion naturally
arises that the time has come for
someone who is qualified to do
it to write a short history of the
development of the game. The
reason that I make this sug-
gestion is not that I am not
qualified—for I am not—but that
if the matter is further deferred
there may be difficulty in finding
those who, like myself, saw, and
played the game at the very be-
ginning. So I will give my own
remembrances in the hope that
they may elicit kindred reminis-
cences from others which may
serve to fill the picture.

I had played rackets and
squash at Harrow and played
real tennis at Cambridge, so that
I may safely say that when I took
my degree in the spring of 1872
no such game as lawn tennis
existed, for if it had I think I
must have known of it. I went
abroad in the summer, and either
in the summer or the autumn
appeared in the "Field" the ad-
vertisement of Sphairistike. I was
settled in Scotland by this time,

as who had played rackets or
tennis, or both, were in a certain
sense (what a poor sense when
one thinks of the present!) able
to play the game quite well at
once. And three things im-
mediately occurred to us. (1)
The hour-glass shape was not un-
necessary, but deleterious, for
when a ball had been sent to the
extreme corner you could not re-
turn it straight to the correspond-
ing corner of the adversary's
court, for if so it would not have
gone over the net; (2) the height
of the net at the middle was far
too great. If a man once got
there you could not get the ball
past him except by a lob; (3)
taking the hint from real tennis
it would obviously be easier to
hit the ball hard and swiftly if it
were covered and had no hole in
it. All these things occurred to
us, and must equally have occur-
red to those who were playing
the game in England. These
three changes made, you have
lawn tennis as it now exists.

DIFFERENCE IN STROKES.

Now here my exact memory
fails me. I hope some one else
may be able to fill the gap. My

AMERICA'S TRACK KINGS LEAD THE WORLD



The cream of America's track and field athletes have clearly demonstrated world supremacy at the Los Angeles Olympic. Here are some of them. Above: Left—Bob Kiesel, Ben Eastman and Frank Wychoff, three outstanding California collegians. Right—Darrel Hamilton and Forrest Harvey, Denver Athletic club, with John Ivis, Salt Lake distance runner. Inset, Ralph Hill, Oregon dis-
tance king. Below: Left—Lawson Robertson, head coach of Olympic team, shows Clyde Becher, Indiana vaulter, some pointers. Right—Three Washington Jeds, Ben Ercken, hurdler; Talbot Harley and Eddie Genung, middle distance runners.

and in 1873 we formed in Edin-
burgh a Sphairistike Club and
played the game all that summer.
This is principally why I write,
for I cannot but think that people
who actually played Sphairistike
must be becoming rather rare
birds.

HOURLY-GLASS COURT.

The arrangements of Sphairis-
tike were these. The court, so
far as I remember, was the same
length as the present court, but
hour glass in shape. There were
two ridiculous little side nets
stretching backward from each
end of the centre net which served
no useful purpose whatever. The
main net was 4ft. 10in. high at
the middle. The ball was after
the manner of the squash ball of
the period—uncovered indiarubber
with a hole in it, but rather
larger than the squash ball we
used at Harrow. The racket was
a cross between a regular and a
tennis racket. The scoring of
the game was copied from tennis,
not from rackets. Now those of

impression is that we were play-
ing lawn tennis as it is now play-
ed, i.e., with a rectangular court,
the net at the height it is now,
and with a covered ball with no
hole in it, by the year 1875. I
may be wrong as to this, but
certainly it is that no game so
quickly assumed its final form.

We people who began naturally
used the racket or the tennis
stroke according to what we had
been accustomed to. What I
mean by the racket or tennis
stroke is this:—Speaking general-
ly, and excepting volleys, which
must be taken as they come, in
rackets the correct position for
the racket was that the head
should be at a lower level than
the hand of the player, while in
the tennis stroke the head was
at least level or even above the
hand. I remember quite well that
when young mop arrived from
the Universities and beat us older
players they had invented a sort
of forward drive with the racket
held perpendicularly downwards.
That stroke appears to have dis-

M.C.C.'S TOUR IN AUSTRALIA

REVISED ITINERARY
NOW COMPILED

The revised itinerary for the
M.C.C. tour in Australia has been
approved as under:

- Oct. 21.—Western Australia (at Perth).
- Oct. 27.—Combined team (at Perth).
- Nov. 4.—South Australia (at Adelaide).
- Nov. 18.—Australia XI. (at Melbourne).
- Nov. 25.—New South Wales (at Sydney).
- Dec. 10.—Southern Districts (at Wagga).
- Dec. 12.—FIRST TEST at Syd-
ney.
- Dec. 16.—Tasmania (at Launce-
ston).
- Dec. 23.—Tasmania (at Hob-
art).
- Dec. 30.—SECOND TEST (at
Melbourne).
- Jan. 7.—Geelong or Ballarat.
- Jan. 13.—THIRD TEST (at
Adelaide).
- Jan. 21.—Ballarat or Bendigo.
- Jan. 26.—New South Wales (at
Sydney).
- Feb. 1.—Country Districts (at
Toowoomba).
- Feb. 4.—Queensland (at Bris-
bane).
- Feb. 10.—FOURTH TEST (at
Brisbane).
- Feb. 18.—N.S.W. Country Dis-
tricts (at Newcastle).
- Feb. 23.—FIFTH TEST (at
Sydney).

\$49,350 FOR A HORSE

SOLARIO KEPT IN ENGLAND

AMERICANS OUTBID

A racehorse—Solario—was sold
at Newmarket last month for \$49,350,
which is the biggest price
ever given for a horse at public
auction.

This price is nearly £10,000
above the previous auction record
—the £39,375 paid by M. Edmond
Blanc for Flying Fox in 1900.

The successful bid for Solario
—the late Sir John Rutherford's
great sire—was made by Lord
Glancely, acting for a syndicate of
breeders, of which Lord Rosebery
is chairman and in which the Aga
Khan, Lord Glancely, and a number
of other well-known owners are
interested.

THE AMERICAN "PLOT."
There was drama in the sale
paddock when England and the
United States struggled for posses-
sion of the horse.

The bidding rose swiftly from
the £26,250 at which he was put
in to the successful offer at which
the American bidder, Mr. Frank
B. Hills, retired.

Solario was saved for England.
All unknown, a group of United
States owners and breeders had
hatched a careful plot to annex
him.

LIGHTNING DECISION.

Mr. Hills forced the bidding up
to \$42,000.

When an American was seen in
the field there was a lightning
consultation between Lord Rosebery
and Lord Glancely, and it was
swiftly agreed that the horse must
not go to the United States.

The bidding began to soar again.
Mr. Hills put in £48,825 and
Lord Glancely promptly capped it
with £49,350.

Then there was such a burst of
applause as has never before been
heard at a ring-side.

Solario had to be kept in
England, though horses like Prince
Palatine, Tracery and others have
been sold privately for large sums.

[The bidding was in guineas,
given above in pounds.]

SOLARIO'S \$20,900 WINNINGS
Solario, who is 10 years old, was
bought by Sir John Rutherford as a
yearling for \$3,675 and won
\$20,935 in stakes, his successes
including the St. Leger, the Ascot
Gold Cup and the Coronation Cup.
Among his offspring are Orpen,
Dastur and Rose en Soleil.

No less than £26,865 was won
by Solario blood on the flat last
year, when Lord Glancely was high
among the winning owners. He
won 27 races with 22 horses and
£12,547 in stakes.

CHELSEA PROFIT

Transfer Fees Lighter Last Season

Chelsea Football Club, members
of the Football League First
Division, announce a profit of
£3,754 16s. 1d. on the past year's
working.

This result was achieved despite
a fall of almost £10,000 in re-
venue, income from all sources
during 1931-32 having been £70,242
9s. 2d. compared with a figure
of £80,000 approximately for the
preceding season. Gate receipts at
Stamford Bridge in 1931-32
brought in a net sum of £43,322
17s. 9d. a decrease of £7,150 18s.
7d.

The increase of profit from £823
for 1930-31 to £3,754 16s. 1d. for
the past season is in some measure
attributable to the fact that
whereas in the preceding season
large sums in transfer fees were
paid for "star" players, last year
O'Dowd was the only footballer of
note signed on by the Stamford
Bridge club.

The Chelsea directors have re-
commended a dividend to share-
holders of 7½ per cent., less tax
—the limit allowed by the Foot-
ball Association.

285 M. P. H. NEXT

SUCCESSOR TO GOLDEN ARROW PLANNED

London, Aug. 14.

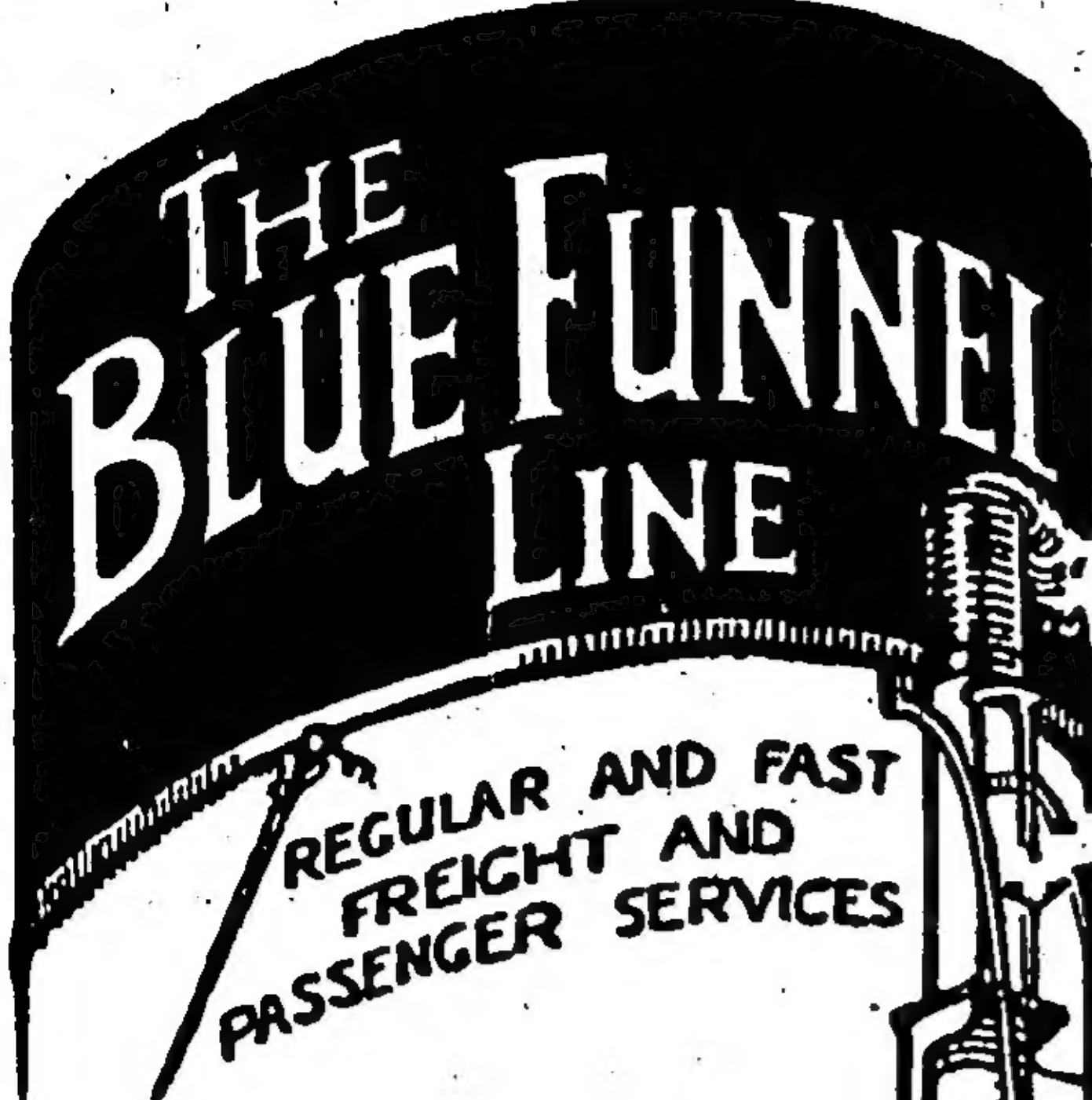
The question of building a suc-
cessor to Major Sir Henry Segrave's
wonder car, the Golden Arrow, will
be discussed on Monday between
Captain J. S. Irving, the designer of
the Golden Arrow, and a number of
British sportsmen.

If the negotiations, which will deal
with the financial side, are suc-
cessful, then an all-British car, designed
to travel nearly 300 miles an hour,
will be built immediately.

"It will be a development of the
Golden Arrow, and a minimum speed
of 285 miles an hour will be aimed
at," stated one of the promoters.

"This will be 35 miles above the
existing world land speed record."
"If financial guarantees are forth-
coming it is hoped that the car will
be finished by about March 1933. No
driver has yet definitely been
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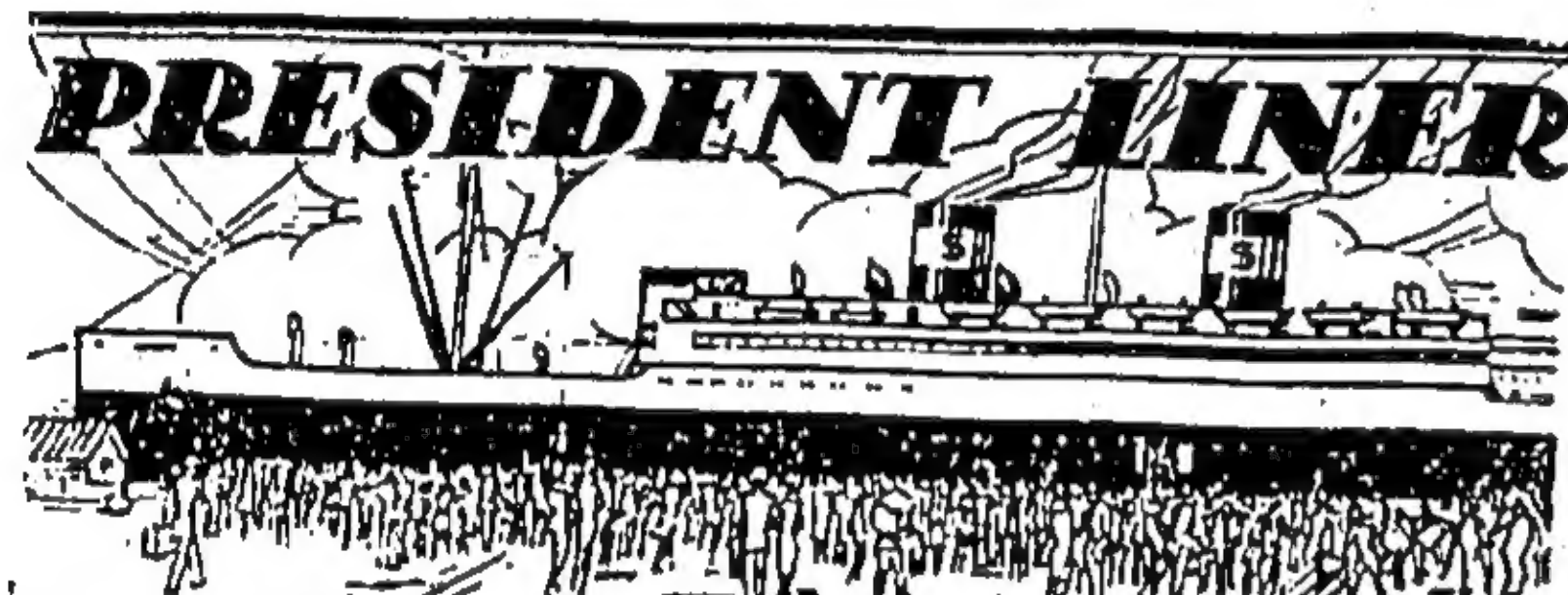
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LAWN BOWLS LEAGUES

POLICE DEFEAT THE K. C. C.

Nothing short of a total collapse can now deprive the Craigengower C. C. of winning the two Lawn Bowls shields this season as they have established a commanding lead over the other teams in each division, the defeat of the Civil Service and Club de Recreo seniors giving the present leaders a five point advantage while in the junior division they are now six points in front.

SENIOR DIVISION.

Craigengower Easily Defeat Club de Recreo.

Always a difficult team to beat on their own green the Club de Recreo failed at King's Park against the Craigengower C.C. by the margin of 24 shots. Scores: J. M. Alves, R. R. Roberts, L. C. R. Souza and R. F. Luz (Club de Recreo) lost to G. L. Buchanan, M. O'Brien, C. S. Rossie and R. Baan 14-22.

F. X. M. Silva, C. A. Lopes, E. M. Remedios and C. G. Silva (Club de Recreo) lost to L. E. Lammer, D. Souza, D. Rumbhah and B. W. Bradbury 18-32.

C. G. Gutierrez, F. V. Ribeiro, A. S. Gomes and C. E. Marques (Club de Recreo) beat W. T. Brightman, A. E. Coates, E. el Arculli and U. M. Omar 17-16.

Kowloon C.C. v. Police.

The Police R.C. secured their second consecutive victory when they visited the Kowloon C.C. green, winning by 11 shots. Scores: H. Gittins, P. T. Farrell, A. Hyde-Lay and R. Lapsley (Kowloon C.C.) beat R. Oram, R. H. E. Markes, D. Clow and J. C. West 24-23.

H. Hampton, F. Goodwin, W. Hyde and J. Hyde (Kowloon C.C.) beat W. Glendinning, J. Ellis, F. E. E. Booker and C. G. Moss 23-13.

E. C. Fincher, A. C. Barford, H. M. McFavish and J. C. Lyl (Kowloon C.C.) lost to E. G. Post, T. R. Hunter, A. N. Reynolds and W. E. Hollands 6-27.

Kowloon B.G.C. v. Talkoo.

Playing on their own green the Kowloon Bowling Green suffered their tenth defeat, losing to Talkoo by 25 shots. Scores: A. W. E. Davidson, R. Runcan, R. Hall and A. M. Holland (Kowloon B.G.C.) lost to J. Chapman, W. Weir, G. McLeod, and D. Munro 18-25.

S. B. Bent, H. F. Storchum, H. Nish and W. Russell (Kowloon B.G.C.) lost to J. Polson, D. Bone, J. Russell, and J. Chalmers 21-24.

G. N. Mitchell, A. K. Taylor, E. W. L. Hogbin and D. Gow (Kowloon B.G.C.) lost to J. Watson, A. Stalker, R. Keown and W. Wotherspoon 14-29.

Civil Service v. Kowloon Docks. The Kowloon Docks sprang a surprise on Civil Service C.C. at Happy Valley by winning by 29 shots. Scores: S. Randle, A. O. Brown, A. H. Oswick and R. P. Phillips (Civil Service) lost to A. Calman, R. Morrison, G. Cooper and F. Cullen 13-22.

N. J. Bebbington, F. H. Holdman, J. Denkin and J. Hollidge (Civil Service) lost to E. Docherty, P. Remington, W. Greig and J. McKelvie 13-29.

E. W. Simmonds, T. Armstrong, F. J. Jones and A. W. Grimmit (Civil Service) lost to D. Ramsay, R. G. Craig, J. Lindsay and J. C. Brown 20-24.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

Recreo Receive Trouncing From Craigengower.

By beating the Club de Recreo at Happy Valley by 35 shots, the Craigengower have practically assured themselves of the Junior shield. The scores were: C. Dunce, Y. Abbas, W. Ward, and W. Collins (Craigengower) beat F. E. Xavier, J. M. S. Rozario, J. J. Banto and R. A. Castro Banto 28-17.

A. V. Barros, F. K. Modi, A. A. Razack and J. Cavanagh (Craigengower) beat F. Prata, B. Banto, A. Alves and C. H. Banto 34-8.

D. K. Khurana, J. V. Pearce, W. Field and W. Gill (Craigengower) lost to M. Carvalho, D. Alves, J. Ozorio and A. H. Banto 17-19.

Talkoo v. Kowloon B.G.C.

A close game was seen at the Talkoo R. C. green where the home team won by four shots. Scores: W. Brown, T. Currie, G. Stewart, and J. Sloan (Talkoo) beat F. V. Whittle, V. C. Labrum, J. G. Meyer and F. L. Ropley 18-11.

C. Summers, T. Swan, A. MacIndoe and S. Hope (Talkoo) beat C. Hatt, T. Hard, W. Venables and V. Petherick 22-13.

E. Greenwood, J. Wald, D. Peoples and H. McKee (Talkoo) lost to C. L. Farmer, J. S. Logan, W. E. Hale and W. S. Drake 20-32.

Hongkong Electric v. Civil Service. The Civil Service C.C. received a shock at the Hongkong Electric Club where they lost by five shots to practically definitely eliminate them from the championship race. Scores: J. Sloan, F. Normington, F. F. Duckworth and J. F. Lunny (Hongkong Electric) drew with E. Cressley, J. F. Willmott, J. F. McGowan and H. Westlake 20-20.

R. C. Butler, C. E. Gahagan, L. de Romo and S. Doncon (Hongkong Electric) lost to H. L. Lockhart, J. Tachil, L. Luck and H. E. Strange 21-24.

Yacht Club v. Kowloon C.C.

By beating the Kowloon C.C. at North Point by 15 shots, the Yacht

OLYMPIC GAMES

JAPAN WINS WATER CHAMPIONSHIP

Los Angeles, Aug. 14. With to-day's results Japan won the Aquatic Championship of the 1932 Olympic Games.

Japan gained the laurels in Friday's events her representatives filling all three places in the final of the men's 100 metres back stroke.

Japan also won the 200 Metres Breast Stroke, (with a Filipino swimmer third) and the 1,600 Metres Free Style. In the last named event another record was smashed.

In the Water Polo, Japan was beaten by Hungary, who won the championship; but Japan had enough points to take the Aquatic honours. America won the Women's 400 Metres relay in record time, beating Holland and Great Britain.

The Rowing Events.

In the rowing events, Great Britain secured a victory in the coxless pairs while "Bobby" Pearce of Australia won the singles with Southwood of Great Britain fourth. The Briton was seized with cramp after three quarters of the course had been covered.

The eights went to the United States a magnificent race won by two feet. United States also took the Double Sculls. Great Britain won the coxless fours.

The results are as follows:

SWIMMING.

100-Metres Backstroke.
1. Kiyokawa (Japan).
2. Iyrie (Japan).
3. Kawazu (Japan).

Time: 1 min. 8.3/5 secs.

Men's 200 Metres Breast.
1. Tsuruta (Japan).
2. Kioke (Japan).
3. Ildesonso (P.I.).

Time 2 mins. 46 4/10 secs.

Won by a foot.

1,500 Metres Free Style.

1. Kitamura (Japan).
2. Makino (Japan).
3. Christy (U.S.).

Time: 19 mins. 12.4/10 secs.

Won by two yards.

An Olympic Record.

400-Metres Relay (Women).

1. America.
2. Holland.
3. Britain.

Time: 4 mins. 38 secs.

(Olympic Record).

WATER POLO.

Germany beat Japan 10-0.
Hungary beat Japan 10-0.
Hungary won the championship, Germany being second and the United States third.

ROWING.

Singles.
1. Bob Pearce (Australia).
2. Bill Miller (U.S.A.).
3. Douglas (Uruguay).
4. Southwood (Britain).

Time: 7 mins. 44.2/5 secs.

Won by 3/4 length.

Coxless Pairs.

1. Britain.
2. New Zealand.
3. Holland.
4. Holland.

Time: 8 mins.

Won by a length.

Coxed Pairs.

1. America.
2. Poland.
3. France.
4. Brazil.

Time: 8 mins. 25.3/5 secs.

Won easily.

Double Sculls.

1. United States.
2. Germany.
3. Canada.
4. Italy.

Time: 7 mins. 17.4/10 secs.

Won by a length.

Coxless Fours.

1. Great Britain.
2. Germany.
3. Italy.
4. United States.

Time: 6 mins. 58.2/10 secs.

Won by two and a half lengths.

Coxed Fours.

1. Germany.
2. Italy.
3. Poland.
4. New Zealand.

Time: 7 mins. 10 secs.

Won by inches.

Eights.

1. United States.
2. Italy.
3. Canada.
4. Great Britain.

Time: 6 mins. 37.3/10 secs.

Won by two feet.

Club have displaced the Civil Service by virtue of a better shot average.

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RIFLE SHOOTING IN THE COLONY.

R. A. O. C. DEFEAT THE AIR FORCE

A most enjoyable afternoon was spent at Kowloon, when the Royal Air Force, Kai Tak, met the Royal Army Ordnance Corps, Hongkong, in a friendly match.

The match was over 200, 300 and 500 yards, with Bliley targets and marking. The two teams paired up, and after some very close shooting the R.A.O.C. ran out winners. The results were as follows:

R. A. O. C.

S. Major Anderson 92
Lieut. Packo 85
S. Sgt. Clark 82
Sgt. Chappelle 82
Sgt. Emery 82
Cpl. Day 70

Total 498

TRIANGULAR CONTEST.

An interesting triangular shoot took place at the Peak range yesterday morning, in which the Engineer Company of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps were engaged with the Royal Army Services Corps and the Royal Air Force.

Conditions were—Three competitions—Application Rapid and Snap—all at 200 yards, and all with bayonets fixed. The individual possible was 70.

The Engineer Company scored 472, the R.A.F. 434 and the R.A.S.C. 426. Results, however, were somewhat unexpected. Cpl. Lockhart, of the Volunteers, did well with 64 out of the possible 70, and Leading Air-craftsman Moon, R.A.F., was next best with 62. The astonishing performance, was that of Leading Air-craftsman Pelling R.A.F., who, after topping the scores at the Hongkong Rifle Club shoot on Saturday, failed badly, getting only 30 out of 70.

Scores:

Engineer Co., H.V.D.C.
Sapper Smith 61
Cpl. Lockhart 64
Spr. Brown 58
Spr. Salter 61
Sgt. Salter 58
Spr. Johnson 59
Spr. Haughton 58
Spr. Ross 58

472

R. A. F.

Cpl. Rowsell 56
L. A. C. West 57
L. A. C. Tower 58
L. A. C. Pelling 61
Cpl. Conway 62
L. A. C. Moon 62
L. A. C. Lister 52
Cpl. Burton 434

R. A. S. C.

Sgt. Robinson 56
Dvr. Savage 51
Pte. Buckler 54
Pte. O'Connor 60
Pte. Funnell 56
Lt. Mayell 48
Sgt. Kirk 47
Spr. Moss 47

PELLING WINS

Mrs. L. M. Holmes was again a competitor in the second monthly rifle shoot of the Hongkong Rifle Club at Kowloon Tong range on Saturday, scoring 43 of a possible 70. In registering the highest score, R. H. Pelling also secured the monthly spoon.

Shooting was over 600 and 600 yards, the highest possible score being 35 at each range.

Scores:

R. H. Pelling 500
J. L. Tetley 31
H. Tower 25
J. C. M. Grenham 30
A. Chappelle 23
C. B. Holmes 27
R. H. Woodman 25
C. E. Terry 24
W. L. Emery 15
G. H. Owen 23
B. Packe 27
Mrs. Holmes 19
C. R. Anderson 32
H. C. Watson 9
T. P. Saunders 20
A. J. Raptis 11

600 Total

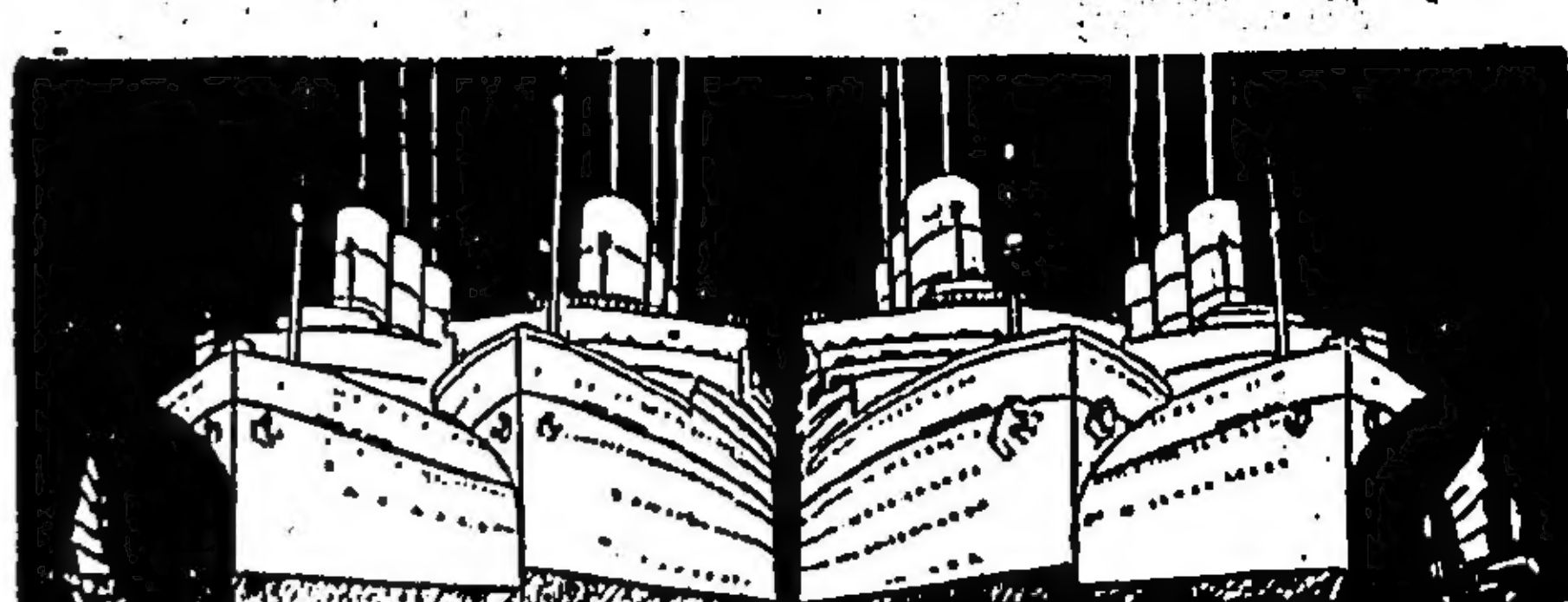
LESSON-SERMON. FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST. SCIENTIST, HONGKONG

"Soul" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist yesterday.

The Golden Text was—"Now the just shall live by faith; but if any man draw back, my soul shall have no pleasure in him. But we are not of them who draw back unto perdition; but of them that believe to the saving of the soul." (Heb. 10: 38, 39.)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible—"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness neither shadow of turning. Wherefore lay apart all filthiness and superfluity of naughtiness, and receive with meekness the engrafted word, which is able to save your souls." (James 1: 17, 21.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—"All sin is of the flesh. It cannot be spiritual. Sin exists here or hereafter only so long as the illusion of mind in matter remains. It is a sense of sin, and not a sinful soul, which is lost. Evil is destroyed by the sense of good." (p. 811.)



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*Tokushima Maru Monday, 29th August.

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*Akita Maru Monday, 15th August.

*Malacca Maru Monday, 29th August.

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Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland, M.P., in a speech at Henwick Hall, Wellingborough, said they had all heard of the Five-Years' Plan of the Soviet Republic. They had all heard people who praised the Soviet Government, saying that, at least, they had a national plan, while other nations, like the British, were content to "muddle through." Those critics were not quite so wise as they thought. This country also had a plan.

A three years' plan was needed to tackle the world depression successfully. The first part of the task was to take a firm hold of affairs in this country and to stop the drift to disaster. That had been done. The second was to deal with the obstacles to world revival. The third and last part of the task should be to create safeguards to prevent a slump like the recent one ever occurring again.

That was not "muddling through." That was real planning. It was what, in fact, the Government had done and was doing. It had made mistakes—as any assembly of men must do—but they had driven ahead with the main things. They had successfully tackled the first part of their task and had placed the internal affairs of the country on a firm footing.

The work was not finished; there was much still to be done, especially as regards agriculture. But there was a sum total of work done—legislative and administrative—such as had never been equalled in a session of Parliament in a time of peace.

WATER LEVELS.

WEST NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers:

	Highest on record.	Aug. 13.	Aug. 14.
West River at Shuibing	41.7	0	34.6
North River at Tsin-yuen	41.7	0	9.9
North River at Shuibing	27.3	5.3	22.0
East River at Shuibing	15.5	2.5	7.0

CLOTHING BURNED AS FLARES

MAN'S FIGHT WITH TIDE

London, July 18.

Alone on a drifting vessel, a yacht hand burned his clothing to attract attention to his plight off the Isle of Wight early yesterday.

The man, W. McLeod, had been left in charge of the small cutter yacht, Daedalus, owned by Commander F. Ratsey, after it had taken part in a regatta.

The vessel, dragging anchor in a strong wind, drifted towards the English Channel, and McLeod awoke just before it grounded on a bank of shingle.

He burned his shirt and towels, which he had soaked in paraffin, but his signals were not seen from the shore. He then attempted to row ashore in the dinghy, but the strong tide carried him towards the Channel and he had difficulty in getting back to the yacht.

His plight was seen by coastguards at daybreak, and the Yarmouth lifeboat was called out. McLeod was taken off in an exhausted state, and the yacht was towed into harbour.

MISSING AVIATORS

TWO PLANTERS REPORTED LONG OVERDUE

London, Aug. 13.

A message received here late to-night says that the two British aviators, Salt and Taylor, on a private flying venture which they hoped would carry them from Malaya to England, have vanished.

They disappeared somewhere between Moumein and Rangoon, and it is feared they have been lost at sea. They are long overdue at their destination.

Messrs. Taylor and Salt started from Kuala Lumpur on July 2 to fly home to London. They flew via Taiping and Alor Star, then to Victoria Point, Tavoy and Moumein. In landing at the last-named place they seriously damaged the undercarriage of their machine, also breaking the lower wing and bending the prop.

The Singapore Flying Club sent them new parts, and they were to resume their flight on August 4.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

A. O. F. C. QUOTATIONS FOR SATURDAY

New York, Aug. 13.

Dow Jones Averages: Aug. 12 Aug. 13
30 Industrials 63.11 63.19
20 Rails 28.28 28.54
20 Utilities 27.07 27.50
Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co. Report: The market is irregular. Business done: 1,800,000 shares.

	Last Price	To-day's Price
Air Reduction	\$50.74	\$50
Allied Chemical and Dye	73	71
American Can	60 1/2	60 1/2
American Telephone and Telegraph	106 1/2	105
American Tobacco	73 1/2	73 1/2
Anbun	64	62
Dorden Company	28	27 1/2
Canadian Pacific	123 1/2	123 1/2
Consolidated Gas of New York	62	62 1/2
Drugs, Inc.	39 1/2	40
Du Pont de Nemours	34 1/2	32 1/2
Eastman Kodak	48	49
General Electric	16 1/2	16 1/2
General Foods	25 1/2	26 1/2
General Motors	137 1/2	129
International Harvester	27 1/2	27 1/2
International Tel. & Tel.	9 1/2	9 1/2
Liggett and Myers	54	53
Loew's Inc.	26	26
Pacific Gas and Electric	27 1/2	27 1/2
Pennsylvania Railway	13 1/2	12 3/4
Radio Corporation	7 1/2	7 1/2
Sears Roebuck	19 1/2	19 1/2
Standard Oil Company of New Jersey	32 1/2	32 1/2
Socomey Vacuum Corp.	11 1/2	10 3/4
Union Carbide and Carbon	21 1/2	22 1/2
Union Pacific	63 1/2	62 1/2
United Aircraft and Trans	13	13 1/2
United States Steel	38 1/2	37 1/2
Westinghouse E. & M.	31 1/2	31 1/2
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